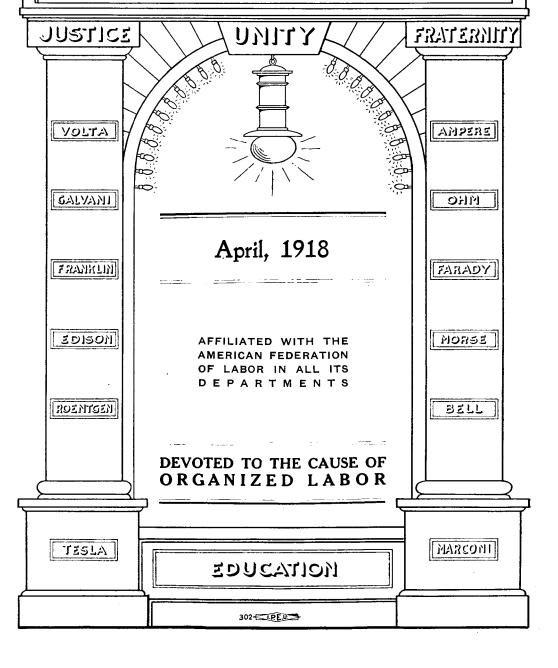
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#### Special Session of the International Executive Board

Special Session of the International Executive Board was called by the International President to confer with the Executive Board of the International Union of Elevator Constructors, Buffalo, N. Y. beginning March 17th, for the purpose of endeavoring to reach an agreement whereby the question of jurisdiction of work which has confronted the I. B. with that organization for years, might be adjusted.

The conference was arranged through the good offices Major Wm. C. Rogers of the United States Army, who had been delegated to adjust a difficulty that had been called by Local 134 of Chicago, Ill., which involved work that was being done for the Government.

After investigation Major Rogers rendered the following decision:

February 21,

February 21, 1918.

A. A. Pitt, President Elevator Manufacturers Association,
care Pitt Engineering Company,
120 W. Kinzie St., Chicago, Ill.
The report of Major W. C. Rogers on
his investigation of strike of electrical
workers on the Ordnance Work of Otis
Elevator Company and other plants in Chicago sustains the recent decision of the
Joint Arbitration Board of Building Construction Employers Association and Building Trades Council of Chicago conceding to
electrical workers the work done by them
previous to July nineteen seventeen. The
war necessities make it desirable that as
a war measure and for the duration of the
war the manufacturers concerned should war necessities make it desirable that as a war measure and for the duration of the war the manufacturers concerned should adopt and be guided by the arbitration decision. Provision should be made as in former agreements for an equal number of electrical workers and other mechanics to do strictly emergency repair work. This decision should not be understood as compromising in any way the national rival claims of elevator constructors and electrical workers. We recommend that for the duration of the war no further strikes occur on government or other public work in support or defense of these rival claims, but that any matters in dispute be adjusted through the national associations or federation of which the manufacturers and contending unions are members. This decision is based on the fact that the manufacturers' proposal to sustain elevator constructors on this work in Chicago after July, was made by consent of only one party to the Joint Arbitration Board. President Donlin Building Trades Department Federation Labor concurs in Major Rogers report and recommendation.

#### WHEELER. ARMY ORDNANCE.

At a conference held at the offices of the Otis Elec. Co., New York, he strongly urged that the two organizations get together and endeavor to amicably adjust the differences that existed between them so that it would apply throughout our territorial jurisdiction. This request he was joined by President Baldwin, President of the Otis Elevator Company. The results of the conference were not all satisfactory as your representatives insisted upon their rights to do all electrical work necessary in the installing, the maintainence and repair of elevators. We are sure however that the conference will eventually lead to a closer understanding between the two organizations than has hitherto existed, meaning as both sides defended their position with a friendly

The meeting adjourned on the nineteenth inst. The elevator constructors refusing to concede any work other than the work as we find in the so-called Sherman Agreement; however willing to have the elevator manufacturer become a third party to an agreement that would guarantee the work in the so-called Sherman agreement to our members throughout our jurisdiction.

As your Executive Board did not feel it had a right to waive claim on any elevator work, the conference closed.

The meeting was composed of the following:

International Union of Elevator Constructors.

E. Smith, New York. F. J. Schneider. W. Snow, Chicago. Frank Feeney. J. McDonald, Boston, H. D. Rowan.

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#### AROUND THE CIRCUIT

Organizer Von Schriltz reports the successful termination of our efforts to get telephone scale for our men working for Postal Telegraph Company in Washington. This controversy has taken some time and its successful finish is welcomed by the men affected. It grants a new substantial raise in pay to all the Electrical Workers employed by them.

employed by them.
Glad to announce a complete victory in our fight to maintain our jurisdiction over electrical cranemen in the shipyards at Tacoma, Wash. The steam and operating engineers pulled the job to force the employers to remove electrical workers from cranes and replace them with engineers. They found that the electrical workers would fight and as a consequence the members of Local No. 76 are still on the job in undisputed possession of their proper jurisdiction, and ready to resist any enjurisdiction, and ready to resist any encroachments on their work.

The local was assisted in this controversy by Organizer Von Schriltz.

Local No. 125 of Portland, Oregon, has Local No. 125 of Fortland, Oregon, has just closed an agreement with the Oregon Electric Railway Company with substantial raise in pay of all employees governed by local. Line foreman \$5.50, eight hours; Journeymen, \$5.00, eight hours and

Local 55 of Des Moines, assisted by Organizer Slattery, and through the co-operation of Mediator Barrett of the United States Department of Labor, have reached an adjustment of their trouble with the street car company of that city.

Assisted by Organizer Dowling, Local 56 of Eric, Pa., have reached a new agreement with employers in their jurisdiction. Wage scale provided under the agreement 75 cents per hour. Union shop conditions prevail.

Local 105, Hamilton, Ont., has just cor-cluded an agreement, the outcome of re-peated conferences with the contractors, peated conferences with the contractors, providing for a raise in pay, the establishment of the eight-hour day, with time and one-half for overtime up to 10 p. m. and double time for after 10 p. m., and Sundays and holidays. They were assisted in this by Organizer E. Ingles.

Local 212 of Cincinnati have closed a new agreement with the contractors of that city, becoming effective May 1st. The agreement covers a three year period and provides a wage increase of 50 cents per day for journeymen for the first year; 25 cents for the second year, and 25 cents for the third year.

Local 239, Williamsport, Pennsylvania, assisted by Organizer Boyle, have reached a settlement of their wage scale negotiation with the Lycoming Edison Company and Williamsport Electric Company, which provides for wage invesces 2 20 per cent for the monthly men; 12 cents per cent for the monthly men; 12 cents per hour increase for those employed by the hour; hours of work reduced from nine to eight; time and a half for over time; double time for Sunday and holidays.

Local 382 of Columbia, South Carolina, have closed a new agreement with the Columbia Railway, Gas & Electric Company of that city.

The agreement provides for eight hour work day, time and a half for overtime; double time for legal holidays; wage scale for journeymen 53% cents per hour; foremen 59% cents per hour; head metermen 63% cents; meter testers 47 cents per hour; lamp trimmers 53% cents per hour; station men 47 cents per hour.

Local 627 of Lorain, Ohio, have reached a settlement with the telephone company, which provides for wage increase of from fifteen to twenty-six dollars per month, time and a half for all overtime; union shop conditions.

General Organizer Smith assisted the local union with the negotiation.

Local 697 of Hammond and Gary In-Local 697 of Hammond and Gary Indiana, after several days negotiation, have reached a settlement with the employers in this jurisdiction, providing for a wage increase which brings their present scale up to \$7 for journeymen, \$7.50 per day for foremen. Double time for overtime, and union shop conditions prevail.

General Organizer Lyons assisted the local unions with the negotiations.

A new local of shopmen and maintenance men has been installed at Erie, Pa., with prospects of a membership of 600. The men are enthusiastic and energetic and possess all the qualities that make for success of the local union.

Local 538 Danville, Illinois, have reached a new agreement with employers of that city, which provides for a wage increase of 12½ cents. Union shop conditions prevail, and many other satisfactory working conditions are provided for in the agreement. ment.

Local 354 of Salt Lake City have obtained an increase of five cents per hour in wages for journeymen, bringing their present scale up to 75c per hour.



#### BROTHER CHARLES WITT.

Whereas, The great Creator of the universe, in His almighty and infinite wisdom has deemed it just to remove from our midst, and into His persence our beloved Brother Charles Witt; therefore be it Resolved, That we the members of L. U. No. 17, I. B. E. W., take this opportunity to express our sincere sympathy to his widow and relatives in their hour of bereavement;

and be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this local, a copy forwarded the widow, and a copy forwarded to the official Journal, also that our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days in memory of our deceased brother.

Wm. Frost, Ed. J. Brennan, Edward Lyon, Committee.

#### BROTHER JAMES HANAN.

Whereas, Death has again visited us and removed from our midst Brother James Hanan, who in life was known as a true and lyoal brother; therefore be it Resolved, That we, the members of L. U. No. 20, I. B. E. W., shall as a token of respect drape our charter in mourning for a period of thirty days; and be it further Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the official Journal for

publication.

Harry Wells, Recording Secretary.

#### BROTHER PERCY S. BOSWORTH.

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom and mercy, to call from our ranks our devoted and esteemed Brother Percy S. Bosworth, who died on March 13, 1918, while performing his duty for his country and fellowmen somewhere "over there"; and
Whereas, L. U. No. 128, has lost an esteemed and faithful member, the country a good and faithful citizen, who had striven and was successful in doing "his bit" for mankind; therefore be it

Resolved. That the members of L. U. No. 128, extend their deepest sympathy to the mother, relatives and friends in their hour of grief; and be it further Resolved. That our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days as a token of respect to his memory and that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to his mother, and one to the Electrical Workers' Journal for publication, and a copy be spread upon the minutes of our local.

A. H. Seal, Press Secretary.

#### BROTHER SAMUEL LEAGUE.

Whereas, The Supreme Ruler of the Universe in His divine wisdom has deemed it best to take from our midst, on the 6th day of March, 1918, our worthy brother, Samuel League; therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of L. U. No. 101, I. B. E. W., tender their heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved widow; and be it further

Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days; and be

it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our local and a copy also be sent to the International Office for publication in the official Journal.

the official of Ben Lloyd,
A. J. Stayton,
C. Scroggins,
Committee.

#### BROTHER W. J. REYNOLDS.

Whereas, The Supreme Ruler of the Universe in His infinite wisdom has deemed it best to take from our midst, on the 18th day of March, 1918, our worthy brother, W. J. Reynolds, therefore be it Resolved, That the members of L. U. No. 101, I. B. E. W., tender their heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved widow; and be it further Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days; be it

further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our local and a copy also be sent to the International Office for publication in the official Journal. Ben Lloyd,

Ben Lloya, A. J. Stayton, C. Scroggins, Committee.

#### CHARLES V. BONE.

Whereas, It has been the will of the Almighty God to call from this world, in the prime of his life, our beloved and esteemed Brother Charles V. Bone; and Whereas, The members of L. U. No. 155, I. B. E. W., has lost by his death a loyal fellow member, a sincere and earnest worker, a true friend and brother, a loving father and husband, esteemed by all; and Whereas, The intimate relation long held by our deceased brother with the members of this local rendered it proper that we should place on our records, our appreciation of his services as a member and a man of merits; therefore be it

Resolved. That while we how in humble submission to Him who doeth all things well

nis services as a member and a man of merits; therefore be it
Resolved, That while we bow in humble submission to Him who doeth all things well,
we mourn his loss; be it further
Resolved, That the members of this L. U. No. 155, extend their deepest and heartfelt
sympathy to his family in their hour of grief and sorrow; and be it further
Resolved, That as a mark of respect and sorrow, the charter of this local be draped
for a period of thirty days, and a copy of these resolutions be sent to his family, a copy
spread upon the minutes of our meeting and a copy be sent to the Electric Workers'
Journal for publication.

Wm. News.
C. L. Brown,
John Carroll,
Committee.

#### BROTHER THOMAS H. CLEARY.

Whereas, God in His infinite wisdom and goodness has seen fit to take from amongst us, one who by his active work, his charitable and self-sacrificing disposition, who had endeared himself to us all; and

Whereas, In the death of Thomas H. Cleary, president of the Bridge Operators of L. U. No. 182, the Bridge Operators of the city of Chicago has sustained a loss which can not be filled, who, by his untiring and efficient work, had succeeded in making a local

was thoroughly organized; and
Whereas, His family has lost a devoted son and brother; therefore be it
Resolved, That the charter of the Bridge Operators be draped until the annual installation of officers; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Worker and his family, and

it be spread on the minutes of our local.

Samuel Post. Robert Dumais, Stephen Quinn, John L. Spaulding, Louis T. Wolff, John McDonald, Wm. L. Deneren Committee.

#### BROTHER CHAS. J. MILLIGAN.

Whereas, It has been the will of Almighty God to take from our midst our beloved Brother Chas. J. Milligan; and
Whereas, L. U. No. 381, I. B. E. W., has lost one of its most earnest workers for the cause of labor; therefore be it
Resolved, That we send our heartfelt sympathy to his widow, children and relatives;

and be it further

Resolved, That our charter be draped for 30 days, and a copy of these resolutions be spread on our minutes, a copy sent to the family and a copy be sent to the International Office to be published in our Worker.

S. J. Fay, Wm. F. Clauss, Fred Mader, Committee.

J. D. McMahon, Secretary.

#### CHARLES N. SMITH.

Whereas, The Almighty has taken from our midst, our friend and brother, Charles N.

Whereas, The Almighty has taken from our midst, our friend and brother, Charles N. Smith; and
Whereas, Brother Smith was a true and loyal brother, and a faithful worker in our Brotherhood; therefore be it
Resolved, That the members of L. U. No. 470, I. B. E. W., join in extending our heart-felt sympathy to his mother in this, her hour of bereavement and sorrow; and be it further Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our meeting, a copy be sent to the Electrical Workers' Journal for publication and that our charter be draped for a period of thirty days.

Vernon Johnson. Committee.

#### BROTHER JAMES W. SHELTON.

Whereas, The Great Architect has called from his labors Brother James W. Shelton, who died of heart failure on Wednesday, March 6, 1918, while engaged in the performance of his duties; and

of his duties; and
Whereas, Brother, Shelton was a true and loyal member of the Brotherhood and a
devoted husband and father; therefore be it
Resolved, By the members of L. U. No. 608, I. B. E. W., that we extend our deepest
sympathy to the bereaved family in their time of grief; and be it further
Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days and
that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes and that a copy be sent to the Worker
and a copy be sent to the bereaved family.

G. W. Bungay, Julius Stewart, D. P. Reid, Committee.

#### BROTHER WILLIAM HAYES.

Whereas, L. U. No. 474, I. B. E. W., has sustained its first loss by death in his service for his country in the war for democracy; and Whereas, William Hayes, whose body is now consecrating a grave in France is the member whose name is the first to be inscribed in the local's list of heroes; and Whereas, Mr. Hayes has been a member of this local for upwards of two years, during which period he gained and held the warm regards of his fellow members by reason of his high character and lovable qualities; therefore be it Resolved, That L. U. No. 474, I. B. E. W., at a special meeting held this day, desire to fittingly express their sense of loss, collectively and individually; and be it further Resolved, That the members extend their sympathy to the parents of the deceased patriot, whose spirit still lives and inspires; and be it further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the parents of the victim of war and to the city press for publication and that a copy be forwarded to the electrical workers' official Journal; and be it further Resolved, That for a period of thirty days the charter of L. U. No. 474, shall be draped in mourning, and that to perpetuate the deceased's willingness and sacrifice a copy of the resolutions be spread upon the minutes of L. U. No. 474.

R. W. Dawkins, Chairman, R. D. Hopper, S. D. White, H. C. Watson, A. J. Thompson, Committee.

#### BROTHER ROBERT B. CLARK.

Whereas, The hand of death has removed from our midst our esteemed brother and

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fellow worker, Robert B. Clark; and
Whereas, L. U. No. 599, I. B. E. W., and our entire membership has lost one of its
most sincere and true union men; therefore be it
Resolved, That we, the members of L. U. No. 599, extend to his sorrowing relatives
our heartfelt sympathy in their hour of bereavement; and be it further
Resolved, That our charter be draped for a period of thirty days; that a copy of these
resolutions be sent to the bereaved family; that a copy be sent to the official Journal
for publication and that they be spread upon the minutes of this meeting.
G. F. Ramsey, Rec.-Secy.

#### BROTHER WILLIAM A. LOMAS.

Whereas, L. U. No. 623, I. B. E. W., has been called upon to pay its last tribute of respect to the memory of one of its most worthy members, Brother William A. Lomas, our financial secretary and treasurer, who succumbed March 25, 1918, in Butte, Montana. Brother Lomas, harkening to the Divine Command has gone to the land from whose bourne no traveler returns. Stricken down while in the flower of useful and glorious manhood. His many noble qualities, his great unselfish character, his kindly, generous, buoyant spirit, his light heart and deep affection will ever remain fresh in the memory of those who knew him; and

Whereas We recognize that in his untimely taking away L. II. No. 623, here lost on

Whereas, We recognize that in his untimely taking away, L. U. No. 623, has lost an esteemed officer, and worthy member, the country a good and loyal citizen, the home a devoted and faithful son; therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of L. U. No. 623, extend their deepest sympathy to the family, relatives and friends in their hour of grief; and be it further

Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for a period of sixty days, as a token of respect to his memory, and that a copy of these resolutions be furnished to his bereaved family, and one to the Electrical Workers' Journal, and a page be spread upon the minutes of our local.

C. M. Dougharty, C. Holland, H. Shawn,

Committee.

#### BROTHER GEORGE BAST.

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to call from our midst Brother George

Bast, by electrocution; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of L. U. No. 688, I. B. E. W., take this our opportunity to express our sincere sympathy; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to our official Journal for publi-

cation.

William Barger, Pres.

#### BROTHER GEORGE PRESTON.

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in His divine wisdom, to call our late Brother George Preston from our midst, and
Whereas, In our close association with our late brother we have at all times found him loyal and true to union principles; be it
Resolved. That we, the members of L. U. 625, extend our most sincere sympathy to the bereaved family in this their hour of grief; and be it further Resolved. That our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days, that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes, a copy sent to the bereaved widow, and a copy sent to the Worker for publication.

Fraternally yours. Fraternally yours,

Fred H. Nickerson, Press Secretary Local No. 625.

#### A. H. LEITZ.

Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty, in His infinite wisdom, to remove from our midst the father of our beloved Brother A. H. Leitz; therefore be it Resolved, That we, the officers and members of L. U. No. 697, I. B. E. W., extend our heartfelt sympathy to his family in their sad bereavement.

Jack Dierheimer, J. W. Wagner, Ray Asbott, Committee,

#### BROTHER RAY BAST.

Whereas, Almighty God has removed from our midst our brother and fellow worker, Ray Bast.
Whereas, Local 286, I. B. E. W., and the entire Brotherhood has lost one of the most sincere workers in our ranks, a man of sterling worth and unimpeachable integrity; therefore be it
Resolved, That Local 286, I. B. E. W. extend to the wife of our deceased brother our heartfelt sympathy; and be it also
Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the wife of our late brother, as a slight token of the esteem in which we held our brother; and be it further
Resolved, That we drape our charter for thirty days.

#### BROTHER FRED NOLL.

Whereas, Death has again visited us and removed from our midst Brother Fred Noll, who in life was known as a true and loyal Brother; be it Resolved, That we the members of Local 212, I. B. E. W., shall as a token of respect, drape our charter in mourning for a period of thirty days; and be it further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the official Journal for publication.

E. Simonton, Press Secretary.

#### NOTICES

Owing to the C. G. Squires Electric Company violating its agreement with our local union, we have been required to place this concern on our unfair list. Any one who may see the ads of this concern in newspapers, that they desire help, are requested to communicate with the Financial Secretary before responding to the ad.

Fraternally yours,

H. L. Bradshaw,

210 D St., SE., Ardmore, Okla.

We respectfully request all members of the Brotherhood to stay away from Birm-ingham, Ala., and vicinity until further

This is due to the strike we have on against the contractors and the United States Steel Corporation Co., here.

If the members of our organization will give us their co-operation it will strengthen

cur chances to win.

Thanking the members in advance I am with best wishes.

E. W. Jackson, B. A. Local 469, Bessemer, Ala Address 1706 Pike Ave., Ensley, Ala. Ala.

These are names of men working on an unfair job and would like to have these names published in the Worker:
Will Martin, Jess Weber, Fred Pugh, J. S. Clarey, Jake Meyers, Sam Dobson, Louie Russel, J. Russel, Gus. Clingwell, Earl Lunceford, George Berry, Herb Wait, Percy Haffmister, Terry, McMaine.

Yours fraternally,
Rec. Sec.

Any one knowing the whereabouts of G. E. or Guy Tice, formerly of Local 609, will confer a favor by communicating with W. H. Simmers, 451½ Washington St., Portland, Oregon.

We desire to inform all members that many of the members of this local are unemployed, and request that this locality be avoided until more favorable conditions of work are established.

We have two unfair firms in our jurisdiction at the present time.

A. E. Peck,

Recording Secretary, Local 465.

Owing to the difficulty in our jurisdiction, we have placed in force Section 8, Article 14 of the Constitution.

We request all members to avoid this locality until the difficulty is settled.

Don McQuiston,

Recording Secretary, Local Union No. 623.

This is to notify the I. B. of E. W. that B. P. Tracey has been fined \$100 and suspended from membership from Local 159 of Madison, Wisconsin, for ratting on job at Madison Gas & Elec. Co.

This member was paid thirteen weeks sick benefit by Local 159 when taken sick just before strike was called on Nov. 27, 1917, and was always there to receive his sick benefit. He has been a member of 159 since Nov. 12, 1905, Card No. 30983, lineman's card. He has always been a strong "union." I mean card man, because this is our first trouble.

Local 159 of Madison, Wis.

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We desire to inform all linemen who We desire to inform all linemen who are contemplating coming to Boston, that work is in a very unsettled condition. It would be useless for them to expect employment under fair conditions.

J. H. Mahoney,
Financial Secretary,
Local Union 104, Boston, Mass.

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#### NOTICES.

Any information that any one can give on the following Brothers send to L. M. Fee, F. S. Local Union No. 9, 5 S. Sangamon St., Chicago, Ill.
Louis Garrison, Card No. 26798.
Thos. Holverson, Card No. 141586.
Wm. Manzer, Card No. 230827.
W. E. Marshall, Card No. 141627.
Yours fraternally,
L. M. Fee, F. S.

Should this come to the attention of Jack Ladd or any one knowing the whereabouts of same please communicate with E. A. Richter, 258 Barrow St., Jersey City, N. J., Secy. L. U. 15.

This advertisement should read—wanted by American Gas Co., lineman and electricians for their plant in Kewanee, III. This job is unfair to us and strictly scab outfit in this city so please stay away and answer no advertisements for men that come from Kewanee.

Yours fraternally,

Archie Maze, B. A.

To All Local Unions, Greetings:
I am instructed by Local Union No. 134
to notify all local unions to beware, and
pay no attention to appeals for financial
aid, from one, Bro. D. J. Parsons of Local
134, as investigation has proved his case
an unworthy one, also Local No. 134
wishes to state that she can take care of
her worthy (sick) members at all times.
Robert P. Brooks,
Rec. Secy., Local No. 134.

Local 200, Anaconda, Mont., desires to post in the Worker the name of R. A. Clark, who has left the jurisdiction of Local 200 with the receipts of said local for the meeting of November 17, 1917, which amounted to \$91.70.

We desire that any member or local union learning of his whereabouts communicate immediately with this local union and any information will be highly appreciated by Local 200.

J. W. Flynn,

Wm. McDonald,

H. A. Sparks,

Committee.

Committee.

Owing to difficulty in our jurisdiction we have placed in force Section 8, Article 14, of the Constitution.

(Signed) Harry H. Freed, Rec. Secy., Ù. 211.

Wish to notify all Locals that Ex-Brother Earl McDonald has been refused application to this body for the third time and this Local requests this item be pub-lished in Worker as McDonald threatens to join elsewhere. He scabbed in 1915 strike.

Local Union No. 220.

Any information concerning the whereabouts of M. L. T. Ruiz having card No. 350635 will be appreciated by us.
A traveler was issued the Brother on Sept. 4, 1917, and has not been heard of since. We think he is in or around Tulsa. Address Bro. L. W. Tyler, Fin. Sec., Local 231, Sioux City, Iowa.

If this should come to attention of L. B. Lovercheek, Card No. 348543, initiated by L. U. No. 500, San Antonio, Texas, or his brother, please communicate with the Fin. Sec. of L. U. No. 240 and learn something to his interest in regard to his card. Chas. G. Erdman, 123 West Front St., Muscantine, Iowa.

This is to notify all members that the following members of Local 469 have been suspended and fined \$500 each for ratting during the strike which is now on against the United States Steel Corporation Co. and all contract shops in the Birmingham vicinity: E. A. Trotman, Card No. 361265, wireman, reinstated Feb. 19, 1918; W. D. Thornhill, Card No. 361250, wireman, reinstated Feb. 19, 1918; W. D. Thornhill, Card No. 361250, wireman, reinstated Feb. 19, 1918; J. E. Henderson, Card No. 361281, wireman, reinstated Feb. 19, 1918; R. G. Nash, wireman, reinstated Feb. 19, 1918; Thomas L. Day, apprentice wireman, initiated, Feb. 22, 1918; J. F. Sumerlin, Card No. 366233, apprentice wireman, initiated, Dec. 5, 1916; J. J. Brown, apprentice wireman, initiated Feb. 20, 1918; W. R. Fitzgerald, Card No. 366254, arm-winder, initiated Dec. 27, 1916; J. H. Nations, Card No. 366275, arm-winder, initiated Sept. 26, 1917; R. M. Pryor, switch board operator, Feb. 20, 1918; A. L. Perry, Card No. 361249, wireman, initiated Nov. 10, 1916; Dotheit Gilmore, Card No. 366299, craneman, initiated Feb. 14, 1918; Harvey Price, craneman, initiated Feb. 14, 1918; Harvey Price, craneman, initiated Feb. 14, 1918; L. M. Caraway, craneman, initiated March 1, 1918; W. J. Music, Card No. 392653, craneman, initiated March 1, 1918; W. J. Clark, craneman, initiated March 1, 1918; J. B. Sloan, craneman, initiated March 1, 1918; W. J. Clark, craneman, initiated March 1, 1918; E. E. Hayes, Card No. 392616, craneman, initiated Feb. 22, 1918.

E. W. Jackson, Secy., Local 469, Bessemer, Ala. Local address—1706 Pike Ave., Ensley,



# **EDITORIAL**



PROGRESS OR DESTRUCTION, WHICH?

The legislation proposed for referendum action is now before the membership and the result of the vote will decide the future progress of the organization. We have, through the columns of the Journal and by

letter, endeavored to point out to the members the advantages and disadvantages of the proposed amendments, this we considered our duty. Naturally, those who desire to destroy the usefulness of the Brotherhood for selfish or political reasons, will do all within their power to convince the members that the International Officers are misrepresenting the situation and are opposing the per capita reduction so they will have more money to spend, this being one of the favorite odes of the disrupter.

Those who may be inclined to believe such argument should stop and consider that all money spent is per the direction of our constitution or conventions. No officer of the Brotherhood can order an unauthorized expenditure. Anyone who attempts to tell you different is trying to insult your intelligence.

The proposers of these harmful and organization-wrecking amendments are those who flooded the Brotherhood with lying and misleading circulars that were exposed in last month's issue and by official letters from the I. O. When you receive more of their misrepresentations, remember they come from the same source and have destruction for their purpose.

These erstwhile trade union wreckers know full well that an organization can't exist today on the revenue they propose in their amendments, but what do they care if they deliver the Brotherhood in a helpless, defenseless condition to the bosses, or place the officers in a position that their hands are tied and they are powerless to carry on the immense work confronting us.

The present time offers the most favorable opportunity labor has ever had to build up the movement and perfect their organizations. Every international union, our own included, is taking advantage of the opportunity and organizing every toiler it is possible to reach. Whether or not the Brotherhood can continue this work will depend on the referendum results.

By your votes you will determine if we are to remain a potent factor in the American labor movement or deteriorate to a useless joke.

A little over six months have passed since the close of the Atlantic City convention. During this interval 93 local unions have been chartered and are now valued units of the organization. We have added to our gross membership over 16,000 new members during the same period. Not so bad in view of the charges of the disrupters that no progress is or has been made.

It should be kept in mind that this was accomplished during the fall and winter months which are admitted by labor authorities as being the poorest period of the year for the promotion of organizing work.

Shall this progress be continued? We say yes, by all means, and believe an overwhelming majority of the members will say so when they cast their ballots.

Our slogan at one time was, "now for the 50,000 mark," this point was reached and exceeded by over 7,000 when the last convention opened. A

new slogan of "now for the 100,000 mark before the next convention," was adopted. One-third of the distance has been covered in one fourth of the time allotted; not half bad considering the war-time conditions and the fact that more and more of the time of the officers and organizers is taken up with wage agreements and similar work.

Two years ago the same dissatisfied element attempted the same thing by the same method. A substantial rebuke was administered to them when the membership cast their vote and by this rebuke made possible the continued progress of the organization. We are confident that the same judgment and interest will prevail at this time. We urge every member to exercise his right to vote; help put our grand old organization over the "top"; the bigger the vote the better. Remember a crisis confronts us. Meet it man-fashion. This can be done by voting against all amendments beginning with question No. 4 to and including question No. 17.

A vote for question No. 1 and No. 2 will give the Canadian members a vice president and confer on the phone operators the right to self-government to which we believe they are entitled.

As to question No. 3, we have no comments to offer for every member is in a position to know whether or not a salary established fifteen years ago is adequate to meet present-day conditions.

GO ACROSS OR

The third Liberty Loan campaign is on and the COME ACROSS! citizens of this country that are disqualified from serving the Nation in uniform have an opportunity which they should consider a privilege and not just a duty, to do their part in prosecuting to a speedy and successful conclusion the war for worldwide democracy and freedom. All previous loans have been over subscribed, a fact which demonstrates beyond any doubt, that the American people believe in the righteousness of the cause and are ready and willing to fight to the last man for the liberty we so dearly cherish and which we desire the people of the entire world to share with us.

Hundreds of thousands of young men have cheerfully offered their all that this may be accomplished. Without hesitation they have broken their home ties, given up the associations of their loved ones and are giving their lives in poor bleeding France in true American style to stop the onrush of the Hun and Turk.

Can we, whom circumstances deny a place on the battle line hesitate? Surely not.

Our duty is to give our whole-hearted support. Don't be content with doing your "bit." Do your all. Help in every manner possible. Consider the situation as a strike of believers in civilization against barbarism, a war against war and militarism. The more sacrifices you make the more satisfaction you will gather.

The purchasers of Liberty Bonds are not only helping the Government but are also manifesting a provident interest in themselves. If you already possess one, buy another and still another and another if your circumstances will permit. Remember, the larger the number of subscribers the greater the moral effect on the German war lord.

Don't ever feel you have done enough. Those who are inclined to such a thought should allow their minds to travel to the trenches of Flanders and draw a mental picture of the boys in khaki, facing clouds of poison gas, floods of liquid fire and torrents of steel, and suffering the tortures of terrible wounds. The boys who left us a few short months ago full of life, hope and determination and are now part of a human wall that affords

protection and shelter to our homes, our women and children that will shield them from the terrible experiences that the women and children of Belgium and France underwent.

These boys are confident of our support. They feel the same spirit exists in us that influenced them. Let us not violate that confidence. They are willing, enthusiastically so, to do the fighting. They depend on us to do the providing. Don't fail them.

If you can't "go across," "come across." Buy a Liberty Bond.

NATIONAL SAFETY CODE. The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers has for years realized the necessity for some set of standards to be reached for outside electrical construction.

The haphazard method of construction indulged in by a great number of distributing companies, with the sole aim of covering the greatest amount of territory with the least possible expenditure for labor and material, has cost numerous lives, made a great many cripples, and has resulted in immense damage to property.

Faulty construction, you generally find, is done where it is permitted by the smaller companies. The big distributing companies, realizing the importance of high-grade construction, have adopted standards generally that make possible the permanency of their construction, as well as the protection of life and property, saving thereby in rehabilitation costs, and in the lessening of law suits for damage. Smaller companies however, have worked with the sole view in mind of getting electrical energies to as many customers as possible, without regard to grade of construction.

We have contended for years, that some set of standards corresponding in nature to the underwriters' code upon inside wiremen, should be adopted generally, so that they become generally known to all people regardless of the location where work is done, and serve to standardize the workmen as well as the work.

In a number of states we have safety laws which exceed in a point of efficiency, the National Electric Code recommended by the United States Bureau of Standards, but in a great many states, the lack of laws covering this work, allows a grade of construction much below that called for by the code.

We are of the opinion that the code is a great step forward, and we have recommended to numerous state commissions its adoption. We are convinced that it will prove profitable to employers, workmen and the public generally.

We had the pleasure of co-operating with Dr. Rosa and Mr. Canada, in the investigation of the subject and in the building of the code.

We believe that it can and will be improved greatly, it being subject to amendment, but feel sure that it is sound material and permanent progress, making for the better understanding and more proficient use of electrical energy generally throughout the States.

**DELAYED** We receive daily complaints at the I. O., from local **SHIPMENTS**. unions relative to not receiving prompt delivery of supply shipments. When investigated it is usually shown these complaints are meritorious and that actual delay has occurred not withstanding the fact that all orders are filled and shipment made the day that order is received. Our investigation brings forth the claim from the express company that

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the delivery and shipping time of express shipments at present are about what the freight shipment schedule was before the war. This is due to munitions, foodstuffs, etc., having preference, a condition we believe that is entirely proper. In view of this we request all locals to order their supplies as far in advance as possible. Don't wait until your stok of supplies are low, By following this suggestion you will assist in eliminating the unpleasant delay you may have experienced in the past few months and at the same time will be aiding Uncle Sam with his new railroad enterprise.

Another matter that has been a source of complaint is the delay experienced by local unions that use the monthly due button. This is due to the fact that the manufacturers used their entire producing output for Government, Red Cross., Y. M. C. A., and other buttons of like character.

We are assured, however, that all future orders will be filled more promptly, but we again urge the placing of orders earlier than has been the custom. These delays are more annoying to the I. O., than to you and can be almost if not entirely avoided by proper cooperation. Kindley help.

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#### L. U. NO. 22, OMAHA, NEB.

To the Editor

To the Editor:

Seems as though I was wrong in my last month letter when I said that all the injunctions had been nulled by the courts and that our troubles were over. The contractors settled with Local 22 all O. K. but in spite of that the business men's association still insist on carrying the temporary injunction against the electrical workers to the state supreme court on a writ of Supeseidas, so we will have to put out a lot more of our good money fighting some. When it is brought to trial on or before May 23d, however, Local 22 is a bear cat when it comes to fighting injunctions, so never fear but what we will be on the job.

The various crafts in Omaha have succeeded in interesting the U. P. shop employees in unionism at last, so much so in fact that we have sent for a charter for all employees at the U. P. and other shops are either awaiting a Charter or else joining the local union of their craft, so Brothers you can see that we are right on the job always.

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Might also mention that we have been able to make the new fourteen-story phone building a strictly union job with everything going along nicely.

We are having a little jurisdictional dispute with the millwrights over a grain elevator job in Council Bluffs, they think they are going to set all motors but believe me they will all be set by union electricians if we have to send Local 22 to Council Bluffs to stand guard with short length at one-half inch conduit.

All members are working at present but as the first of May and our injunction trial is only a short time away I would not advise any Brothers to come to Omaha for work. Don't pay any attention to advertisements in your local papers regarding the scarcity of electricians in Omaha, they are ads inspired by the business men's association.

Notice that the coast local are out with an appeal for funds to finance their strikers seems to ye scribe that they all voted against the strike benefit fund proposed at our last convention. Which only goes to show dear Brothers that it is but human to err and divine to remit.

Fraternally,

F. F. Lenz, P. S.

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#### L. U. NO. 23, ST. PAUL, MINN.

Editor:

Editor:

Don't know whether this will arrive in time for the April Worker, but just came to notice the date and here we are. Work seems to be unusually scarce throughout this section of the country and apparently will stay that way for some time to come, as the companies are not planning on doing anything this year. The street car situation here seems to be lost, as the government mediators have not been able to make the street car company do anything and they have returned to Washington to report to the president. He may settle the matter by making an order of the mediator's findings, as they have left the impression here that he can settle any

and all disputes through the Council of National Defense. No. 23 has lost a total of 27 members through the draft and enlistments and

well Mr. Editor news is scarce, so will pull the switch and write more next time.

The Frog.

#### L. U. NO. 26, WASHINGTON. D. C.

Editor:
Brothers it is with a profound sorrow we write to you, of the death on March 7 of Brother Edward J. Earle, whom we knew intimately, and who was known outside of Washington.
In him the Brotherhood loses one of those staunch, constant members ever alert to its cause, and stubborn in defending

those staunch, constant members ever alert to its cause and stubborn in defending matters he believed right and just.

On the floor of the local he knew no friends nor tried he to make enemies.

During his long career in the local he held many positions of trust and performed them faithfully. He was a member of the executive board at the time of his demise. We all feel a personal loss in his death and our sympathy goes out to his bereaved ones.

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The following is a list of officers elected to serve Local 26 during the year 1918: President, Edward Nothnagel; vice president, Frank Wallace; recording secretary, John J. Pearce; financial secretary, B. A. O'Leary; press secretary, John L. Rosser; treasurer, O. H. Ross; inspector, E. G. Beagle; inspector, D. G. Washburn; foreman, John Poetzman; trustee, W. Heise; trustees, J. H. Avery, J. Patterson; executive, W. F. Kelly, E. J. Earle, W. F. Jenkins; examining board, R. Weagley, C. F. Preller, F. T. McIntire; business agent, B. A. O'Leary.

kins; examining boats, it has been a combare from an official press secretary of Local 26, and during the period there has been a large increase in the number of its

members.
With this increase, is included, the influx of Brothers from most all states (about 100 are here from Chicago), and others coming in from time to time.
In comparison with our normal membership it could be said we have a vast

one now.

And is there work enough to keep all

busy?

The various war buildings and cantonments, in and near Washington, have afforded an immense amount of work, and some good money has been made, but the overtime has been cut down considerably, so that after a lay-off and for a few days there were some not working.
We still have a few not making full

time I have tried in a brief way to outline the working conditions fairly as possible and our business agent will telegraph to the various locals when more men are

The uncertainty as to the date of congressional appropriations makes our work correspondingly uncertain and it is hard to know just what our status is.

In my next letter I will try to give you some idea as to the general construction (that is the materials) and also, in a gen-

eral way, the kind of electrical equipment, the rapidity of construction, etc., which I hope will prove of some interest to you.

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Boys the mighty force of our government is working,—it is working to win the war, and it has breathed its very life into it, and it is going to win, and there will not be an easy time of it either.

Now, boys, way out there in that little local, well as those of the big towns, "buckle your armor," against the enemy "over there" and the enemy within, for we may be rubbing elbows with one in our daily duties. "Talk won't win the war." the pacificist wants to stop it, but the loyal ones want to end it. "Fraternally yours,

John L. Rosser, Press Secretary.

#### L. U. NO. 44, ROCHESTER, N. Y.

Editor:
Although I have not very much to write about I'll try to make that little of interest to all who read the Worker. I notice that every time that there are a few extra numbers of the Electrical Worker at a meeting, they are soon grabbed up. My last month's letter must have gone astray as it was not in the Worker. One of the Brothers asked at our meeting Friday night if the press secretary had a broken hand. It hasn't been broken yet. I have waited till the last minute to write this as I wanted to find out how the light company men made with their increase in pay.

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The gang foremen received 50 cents per day and the other linemen received 25 cents per day. They are very much disatisfied with it and are going to the front Monday a. m. I can't wait to see how it comes out for this would miss the Worker.

Worker.

We are seriously considering raising the amount of the monthly dues. It has not been decided as yet. We are still getting in new members and they will have to fill in where some of the older members have gone into the U. S. service. Brother Ed. McDonald was the last man, so far, to enlist. He joined the Signal Corps.

Everything is quiet. There seems to be plenty of work, some of the companies here are looking for linemen. All linemen here are working.

With best wishes from Local 44.

Frat. yours,

Press Secty., Local 44.

#### L. U. NO. 51, PEORIA, ILL.

Editor:

Well as I missed connections last month, I thought I would take the pleasure of informing the Brotherhood at large that we are still doing business at the same old stand. Well, work around here is pretty good right now. Every brother is working but don't know how long it will last. The Light Company is building a high line at Pekin, Ill. Brothers Mattlin and Henry have charge of the work. Brothers Pastry, Frazer, Harvey and Hindman, have all arrived from points unknown and are looking fine and dandy, and were glad to have the Brothers back in our fold once more. I think about the time this reaches the membership we will be asking for more money with the hope that said Company will grant it without any trouble, so as to cause a strike, and then tell us that we are disloyal to our government. I have a little article I want you to place in the Worker, if you can find space for same.

A TIMELY TOPIC.

It very often occurs that employers utilize the power which they have over their employees to intend that they directly forbid them to join the organization of their trade. On the other hand it does not very often occur that the employer's vol-

untarily without being compelled to do so on the part of organized labor, act contrary and sent their employees to the unions. If one attempts to organize a shop or factory or one finds in a shop or factory a stubborn and short sighted worker who refuses to join the union and the boss is being asked to use his influence, in order to bring the man or men around to the union we often hear the same old excuse, "I can not force my men to join the union." That's against my own convictions and against my conceptions of their own rights and liberties as long as the employer cannot see an immediate advantage for his business in having his employees organized, he will resort to these excuses. But the same noble principles, the same care for the rights and the individual liberty of his workers are immediately, being cast aside by the same man, when he using the threat of unemployment forces his employees to work for him, for low wages and longer hours, thereby making them the most helpless of slaves. One he shows the same utter disregard for the individual liberty of his employees, when he forbids them outright to join an organization, something which happened very often in our experience. If the employers are being confronted with these facts, they either attempt to deny them or they meet our accusations with a sneer full of meaning by which they want to tell us, "It has been so forever and so it shall remain. Whoever does not like it can go."

Without any desire to dwell upon the ethical justification of such a system, we ought to be permitted to make a comparison between the political organization of society, the state, and the economic organization, industry with its two principal factors, capital and labor, or is their anyone who might dare to raise the point that organization here is not necessary that every individual should go its own way without system and without method until all the tissues of our individual life are torn asunder beyond help. Is it not on account of the existing chaos, or account of lack of or

which often result in noticeable setbacks even in the accomplishments and achievements of capital.

Who would dare to contend today that individual effort still asserts itself unsystematically and independently? Nothat position has long been abandoned by capital and today it follows the laws of industrial organization in all branches of industrial and commercial activity. Today capital has its exchanges, its chambers of trade, and commerce, its corporations, trusts and syndicates, and wee unto him who does not submit to the very structure prescribed by the interests of production. Wherever the organization of capital has developed sufficiently in order to enable it to bring pressure and exercise compulsion, it is being resorted to irreversibly. This much for capital, but how about the other factor's within the industrial state? How about labor?

Should here not the same laws apply?

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Should here not the same laws apply?
Most certainly today the workers have learned sufficiently to safeguard themselves economically and for that reason they are applying the same law with ever increasing precision and to a greater extent. Capital, however, the same elements who have realized the necessity of organization and concentration as far as production is concerned, do not seem to be able to grasp the fact that organization and methodical management of industry is only then possible when also the other influential and authoritative economic factor has

regulated the consumption and the ability to consume on the part of the people. Consumption can only be brought upon an advantageous basis which safeguards the welfare of the entirety of it, enjoys the same protection which is accorded to production. That is the power of organization, the introduction of a system and methods for the realization of the means necessary for the raising and regulation of the ability to consume on the part of the masses, on the part of the workers.

This particular condition of affairs can only be accomplished through the organization of labor through the factor labor. The intelligent and progressive elements

The intelligent and progressive elements The intelligent and progressive elements among employers, must realize the necessity of this process and wherever this occurs the employer will find it just and right and of advantage to the industry that the workers organize and that eventually the organization will approach him with the demand to aid in furthering these organistoric efforts in the interests of the thorough organization of industry and in the interests of introducing system into the productive and consumptive activity of society of society.
Yours for the Allies,
Zeb Brown, P. S.

Here is the man who trouble don't worry, He looks for trouble each day in a hurry. Like others when looking for trouble he finds,

Trouble galore, many sizes and kinds.

He has trouble in homes and troubles in stores, Trouble in ceilings and trouble in floors.

He's always in trouble and cannot get out, That's why his troubles about. we're writing

When you cannot talk he comes to your place

And quickly the cause of the trouble will

Or if you cannot hear and for him you send, He's quick on the spot and the trouble will

He's a master of troubles that bother your

'phone—
'phone—
He's just "The Trouble Man"—that's how he's known.
When anything's wrong the trouble he'll

He'll find it and fix it; that's his daily "stunt."

#### L. U. NO. 53, K. C., MO.

Editor:

Editor:
Hello boys. We have got a new number for our local. It was 356, and it is now 53. Lucky number. Brother Jim Slattery has been in town for a few weeks and with the help of Brother Sam Towsand we have taken in from 8 to 15 every meeting night, which is every Tuesday

meeting night, which is every might.

The work around here is very good at this time, the card men are all working. Some have gone to get the Kaiser.

If Brother E. T. Cooper, Card No. 337537 should read this, please send 53 a letter. They would like to hear from him.

We have no meal ticket now, but, Brothers, when you get in town, look up Sam Towsand and if your card's in good order he will not let you starve.

Well Brother, I will write more the next time and have more to say.

Yours fraternally,

Press Secretary.

#### L. U. NO. 55, DES MOINES, IOWA.

Editor:

Not having time to get my letter ready for March Worker, I will try and get one together for April issue. Myself being too busy on wage agreement with Des Moines City Railway Company. Beginning about the middle of February, having negotiations with said Company and contract expiring March 4th, could not come together on wages. All the companies offered was two cents per hour. Having met the company on different occasions, the local called in Organizer H. H. Broach. Then having a conference with Company again they only offered two cents per hour. Stating they could not afford more. So the boys decided to go on strike and suspended work on March 20th. We then got in our midst, Mr. Barrett of the Department of Labor at Washington and Organizer Jas. F. Slattery, as Broach was called to Detroit. Between the Organizer James Slattery and Mr. Barrett and the committee, they then got up a small document agreeable to both parties concerned, so the boys were out only four days and went back to work pending the decision of the Mediator, and he is supposed to be here at this writing, March 6th. Mr. James Slattery will be here to assist us in our troubles and he will also try to clear up Ft. DesMoines Base Hospital and Camp Dodge jobs. Out at both places they have got rats working at present. We are after them and are going to put large tags on their backs. Not getting off of the agreement question. The light boys here also are negotiating with the Company and they also were offered the small sum of two cents per hour. So Organizer Slattery and the Mediator, Mr. Barrett and both committees expect to have a very large week of it, but we both feel that by the end of this week we will be cleaned up. The boys here are asking for five bucks for nine hours and are standing flat footed with both feet for it.

By the time to write a letter for the next Worker, I expect to have a better letter and also to let every Brother know just how we all came out and what results were obtained. Thanking you for a little space for this

F. M., P. S.

#### L. U. NO. 68, DENVER, COLO.

Editor:

Editor:

With much interest the writer has been reading the Worker, and trying to keep pace with the conditions, as they are compounded in the editorials and the many interesting letters, from the various locals throughout the country, and having the honor of being press secretary, I take the privilege offered him to contribute these few lines of information, and tell the conditions of this city, (The printable part) as some of the various members know, is no easy task. With many apologies to the other writers, I will say our local union is well organized, balanced as well as is healthy for any organization, in speakers, workers and railbirds, but always able to give good support to its officers, who are a one hundred per cent temperate, also always up and in the game as in the question of Liberty Bonds. We were able to see our way clear, with a unanimous vote to purchase \$500.00 worth. The Red Cross also was recognized and our defense fund increasing every quarter. While our Service Flag has eight stars attached, which we are most proud of.

Our Soldier boys' tobacco wants are attended to out of our general fund, and two assessments has kept this local in perfect running order. Its members are always

ready for any improvements, on their local conditions, and do not hesitate to miss a meal, to drive a bargain. The latest thing our trade board, which is the Executive Board, accomplished, was to get an increase of 12 per cent which went into effect February 1, 1918. With an agreement still in existence, without a strike lockout or an arbitration board, and still there are some who ask more of the committees. Some are not enjoying all the fruits of the committee's labors, as conditions have slowed down in the last few months, as they always do about this time of the year. So we try and live on the fruits of our last year war garden, and hope for sunshine and work to open again soon. The rumors are, that we are entiled to more money for our valuable services, our agreement expiring May 1, 1918. Members of the I. B. E. W. please take notice, as our contractor may not be able to adjust themselves to this new condition. So buy return or through tickets if coming this way, a green card is never turned down. We know its worth better than our neighbor.

whow its worth better than our neighbor. We are often in receipt of letters from fellow brothers, with a sick wife, who thinks this climate may be beneficial, inquiring about working conditions. Working conditions are none of the best, as we have very few manufacturing plants, and always look for two months idleness in the winter and sometimes longer. But we never turn down a traveling card. A brother is always welcome. We consider Local 68, jurisdiction 90 per cent. I. B. E. W. initiation \$100.00. Scale at present \$5.60 and hoping for more. Our attitude in Denver is a mile high, or 5,280 feet above sea level, which our doctors claim is not grood for a weak heart. It also appears to effect the pocket book of our local citizen as the lowest bidder gets the job, and then it's a case of rawhide, and records are beeffect the pocket book of our local citizen as the lowest bidder gets the job, and then it's a case of rawhide, and records are being broken every day. The Bronx has nothing on us. It's not quality, but quantity, that counts. But we do not complain. If Mr. Contractor can not pull together and establish a paying basis, we have nothing in our I. B. E. W. Constitution or by-Laws keeping us from going ahead with the good work. With a good executive board and our old business agent, Cris Doss, elected for the next three months. We know that we have an old war horse who has seen twenty years of service, and who knows how to play both ends against the middle for the benefit of Local 68. I will strongly recommend the policy this local has taken in regards to its apprentices and helpers, making it compulsory for them to attend the school, conducted by the examining board, held the first and third Friday of each month, and the result is very noticeable. When they take their examination to become a Journeyman, or go before the city examining board for the journeyman's electrician's license, which each wireman must carry, the examining board is very proud of its past work, as good Journeymen make good members, and fit in no place better than in an I. B. E. W. Local, until some E. E. firm needs them, where they will be better off than us wire pullers and pipe twisters and leaving the field open for the older men, F. J. Rohde, General Organizer is with us and is not idle, having done some good work for the linemen of Local No. 111, who were out for a few days, having settled their difficulties with the rough places and delivered the goods in good order. He is now working for the welfare of the locals in this district and the plan he proposed is good. We hope to keep his valuable services with us for some time, knowing we will derive much benefit therefrom. Offering this haphazard inforit's a case of rawhide, and records are be-ing broken every day. The Bronx has nothmation for this time, and with respects to the Brotherhood at large, I remain, Fraternally yours.

Card No. 196719.

#### L. U. NO. 79, SYRACUSE, N. Y.

Editor:

Editor:

Just a few lines to say we are still in existence and going along trying to accomplish the most for the greater number.

No. 79 as all other locals, have our family troubles and agree to disagree.

We have just gone through one of these pleasant family disputes, and now hope to work for the interest of all.

No. 79 for the past month has been trying to better our condition with the Lighting Co., and get a signed agreement. The committee with the assistance of Brother Dowling after several conferences reported that they were unable at this time to accomplish what they set out to do.

The local after considering all sides of the question, and with the good advice of Brother Dowling, who by the way in my humble judgment is better qualified to judge what would be the better course for 79 to follow, have decided to take no drastic action at this time.

The light in Syracuse is not doing any thing at present and have less men working than at any time in the last six years. Other work about Syracuse is plentiful and all members are working.

Just a line about the circular letter sent out by our western Brother in regards to per capita tax. I can't see nothing short of a step backward by taking away the only means the Grand Office has of bettering the conditions of the Brotherhood. I don't care to criticise any member if they are honest and sincere in their intentions and will not heard all members for more means the grand office has of bettering the conditions of the Brotherhood. I don't care and sincere in their intentions and will not heard all members for more means the grand office has of bettering the conditions of the Brotherhood. I don't care allowering for more means the grand office has of bettering the conditions of the Brotherhood. I don't care allowering for more means the grand office has of bettering the conditions of the Brotherhood.

When throughout the Brotherhood we are clamoring for more money, how in the name of common sense, can the membership think of cutting down the Revenue of the Grand Office. Come boys, wake up. Play the game fair, I for one and I venture to say 79 will never consent to any movement that can mean nothing short of ruin for the membership.

for the membership.

There are times when perhaps we all get more or less dissatisfied, but when individ-

There are times when pernaps we all get more or less dissatisfied, but when individual locals can't always agree how can any one expect any set of officers to satisfy the whole membership, when that can be done you will find white black birds.

I am not capable of offering advice to any one and don't intend to here, but if I was of the same frame of mind of some of our members, I would step down to the Railway Station and buy a ticket to Springfield, send in my card and say, Mr. Mc. Mily let's sit down and talk it over and then once, final and all get together, and I have no doubt as to what the outcome would be. This goes whether I were in Boston or cut on the coast, or any other old place. I admire a fighter but I like one like the late John L. Sullivan, when you are whipped don't try to ruin the game.

Just one other suggestion before I close. I don't intend to miss this chance for I expect to get laid off after the membership reads this letter. At any rate I will take a chance.

reads this letter. At any rate I will take a chance.

I have become a home guard in No. 79. Have been here some 7 or 8 years and have seen some changes in that time. Would say the whole membership with the exception of 6 or 7 have never seen or met Brother McNulty, and have not the least idea of what or how he is other than from what someone might say of him and not knowing anything to the centrary take not knowing anything to the contrary take it all for granted. Brother McNulty must pass through Syracuse at times, why not become acquainted Mc. Drop 79 a postal when you are passing through here and we would be only to glad to entertain you while here and these I think are the things that will accomplish more than anything else. No matter who the man is, he wants to see the boss once in a life time at least. Think it over and 79 will show you what they can do along the line of hospitality. With best regards to all,

M. J. Duffy, P. S.

#### L. U. NO. 94, KEWANEE, ILL.

Editor:

A few lines to let the Brotherhood know how things are in this vicinity. At present they are not very good, as no work has opened up as yet, and indications do not point to a very prosperous summer in Kewanee. The scab light job, I am advised are advertising in daily papers for men for Kewanee. So members take notice as this is one of the dirtiest scabby outfits I have ever run into. The article from 58 Detroit in regards to craft unionism is good, and I wish to say to the brother that wrote it, that Local 94 has had some of the same experience, as has 58, as some card men of different crafts seem to think that a union card of one craft is a permit to scab on union men of another craft. Crafts unionism is a failure and always will be if each trade is going to buck one another. As is the case now in various cities, therefore there is a let of good common sense in the brothers article. Well I see that there are a few enemies within our ranks that are trying to kick up another split in our brotherhood. Is it not enough that we have to fight dollar grasping corporations without fighting within one another. The Electrical Worker, as a whole is a poor paid out fighting within one another. The Electrical Worker, as a whole is a poor paid craft and we have no one to blame only ourselves. Whenever we get wise and quit fighting within our ranks we may take our place up along side of other crafts in the matter of wages and conditions. So I think that it is about time the spot light was turned on and in the right direction this time. Spring is here, so why not all locals have a house cleaning party and get rid of these kind of men, which would mean a bigger brighter and stronger I. B. E. W.

Well to get down to business in regards to this local we have taken in two new members and have applications in on two more, with a possible chance to still do better than that in the near future, and wish to advise all members of this local that are working in the city, that the fine for non-attendance will be enforced. So if you would rather pay than come to meetings then stay away. At present the writer is working out of town, but finds a way to attend the meetings twice a month. So remember it's come or pay, as our new by-laws plainly states. Well will close for this time with best wishes for the Brotherhood, I remain,

Yours fraternally,

Archie Maze, P. S.

#### L. U. NO. 122, GREAT FALLS, MONT.

Great Falls unions are winning in their fight for living wage. Another victim of the employers association sees the light, the employers association sees the light, namely, Mr. Nick Baatz, well-known wine and spirit merchant. The engineers placed his big hotel on the unfair list and after numerous attempts to enlighten him as to the error of his ways decided to place banner on the building. The result was dozens began to leave the rooms, the bartenders and brewery workers pulled their members and had the banner it seemed that the only inhabitants of this fine hotel would have been rats and mice. Mr. Baatz finding that he was being used as the cat's paw of the dying employers association called up the union committee and signed up. The following are the unions now partially or wholly on strike: The federal labor union teamsters, machinists, boilermakers, blacksmiths, sheet metal workers, engineers, electricians and moulders. The metal trades council positively refused to meet the employers' association but through the efforts of Judge Harry, mediator of the U. S. Department of Labor if the conference should not result in settlement the metal trades will pull every man over whom they have jurisdiction. jurisdiction.

jurisdiction.

The wages for all crafts is \$7.75 day.
Living has gone up in this city. You
can't live on no less. Ton coal cost \$11
and you will burn two tons a month. This
is the highest price city to live in between
here and Hong Kong, China. The grasping
landlords more than any other factor have
put this city into the classification of city
where the cost of living is one of the
highest priced places to live in the United
States is indicated by survey just completed by the national council of defense.
City officials are running the city water
works since the engineers at the plant
were called out by the metal trades councit.

cil.

Living is so high that the sheep herders are out on strike and have refused to work for \$60 a month and board. The scale they want is \$75 the history of the employers' association is history of an organized attempt to debauch the labor movement. Great Falls Employers' Association has proven no exception to the rule. President Flynn of district council and Organizer Bro. Lee and President O'Brien of the metal trades council are with us every day helping us win our fight. We are not pro-German or Bolshkevik; all we are asking for in this fight is living wage.

Fraternally yours,

M. L. McCarthy,

Press Secretary, Local 122.

#### L. U. NO. 129, ELYRIA, OHIO.

News from Local 129 of Elyria, O., "The 100 per cent city." At the last meeting thirteen men from the plant of The Willys-Overland Co. were initiated into the mysteries of the Brotherhood, also some more linemen from the Milligan Corp. and an inside man. After the business of the evening a social hour was enjoyed by all present, delicious delicacies were served by the social committee. No bottles were forced through the air without a constant guide. guide.

Bro. Rich Chestnut is the justly proud father of a nine pound, twelve ounce baby

boy.

Linemen are after an agreement of 50 cents per hour. Shop men for 48 cents per hour; eight hours a day and a closed shop. Inside men are on strike for 70 cents an hour, all other clauses of the agreement being granted by the contractors

Bro. Bob Simms is a sick person at the

present.

Bro. R. Pember was back for a day and took our "string" Slim Miller to Norfolk, Va. Rolly is a foreman, of some sort, we understand being promoted to that post

understand being prometed recently.

Our Service Flag has two stars at present, Joe McCalley of the Navy and Hi Myers of the National Army, being represented. A few more who were not good enough to get in the regulars expect to be taken in the draft very soon.

Chuck Pallas only ate one pint of the olives at the social last month.

Bro. Ray Ward has been elected secretary of the Central Labor Council.

This is enough for one spasm from me. Scribe Scrub.

#### L. U. NO. 147, CHICAGO, ILL.

Editor:
Greetings from Elevator Operators' and Starters' Union, Local No. 147.
Just a few lines to inform you of the progress that is being made by our local with reference to the negotiations between our organization and the Building Managers Association.
On the evening of March 16th, at 500 S. State street a general mass meeting of our membership was held to formulate a wage and working agreement to replace the agreement now in existence between our union and the Building Managers Association in the city of Chicago. The meeting was called to order at 8:30 p. m. with President Daniel J. Deehan in the chair. Roll call of the membership showed 1.107 members present, including General Organizer Broach, who was sent to the city of Chicago by the general office upon the request of the membership of our organization to assist in the drafting of our new agreement, as it is the first agreement to be drawn up under the laws of our Brotherhood. Brotherhood.

The meeting resolved itself into a committee of the whole and unanimously adopted the agreement with some changes that were made by Organizer Broach. The new agreement carries with it the demand for the eight-hour work day, time and one-half for overtime, double time for Sunday and holiday work and a general demand for 33% per cent increase for all men employed in the operation of elevators. The agreement, as outlined, will cover a period of three years. A readjustment clause, however, is inserted so that all matters pertaining to wage and working conditions shall be held annually upon a thirty-day written notice from either party to the agreement. The meeting resolved itself into a comagreement.

agreement.

It was also decided that the committee refrain from presenting our demands until after Judge Allshueler rendered his decision, as arbitrator in the stock yards situation, which I am glad to report was very successful for the workers of that indus-

successful for the workers of that industry.

After the business of the evening was finished President Deehan introduced Organizer Broach to the membership and it is needless to say that the applause that greeted his introduction lasted for several minutes, after which Brother Broach addressed them. Brother Broach said in part that it is the duty of every man affiliated with our great Brotherhood to express his own feelings in every practical way to reach the hearts of the men of our craft—he stating that the policy of our organization is to bring within its folds every man who is employed directly or indirectly in the occupation of elevator operator or starter. To assist each other in receiving fair remuneration for labor and forcing recognition of our rights as free citizens to join and participate in any organization not in violation of the laws of the land, and enforce that right by using our utmost influence to induce all men employed in our craft to become members of our organization. employed in our craft to become members of our organization.

employed in our craft to become members of our organization.

The elevator man, like all other workers, is seeking to improve his working conditions so that he may have an opportunity to live a better life. The joining together of workers in trade unions has resulted in progress. I am sure you will agree with us in that statement.

We must insist on the eight-hour day in the present negotiations with our employers. Arguments against the eight-hour day are for the most part the illusory imagination of men who will not see. They will not see because prejudice clamps their intellect. Do you know that you are the imprisoned victims of the long work-day? The eight-hour day in our craft is un-

escapable. (Sophists) may argue themselves into shirtless frenzy; building owners and managers, who may think ruin confronts them, may protest to hoarseness—it makes no difference, for the turn of the tide is at hand and the short work-day will become a general fact very shortly. To attempt to stem it will hasten, rather than delay, the day of its coming; for it has reached that happy status in its career where opposition helps.

I wish to bring to the attention of the various organizers and local business agents that it is the desire of Local No. 147, that all locals of elevator operators throughout the country be brought under the banner of our Brotherhood. For your information I might state that our office is swamped with correspondence from the various cities asking that something be done in the way of organizing the elevator operators. At the present time there is affiliated with the Brotherhood elevator operators in Chicago, San Francisco, Omaha and Minneapolis. The following cities have organizations termed benevolent associations and it will be very easy for the erators in Chicago, San Francisco, Omaha and Minneapolia. The following cities have organizations termed benevolent associations and it will be very easy for the organizers and local business agents to bring them into the fold: New York City, N. Y.; Buffalo, N. Y.; Clincinnati, Ohio; Washington, D. C., Los Angeles, Calif. and Seattle, Wash. It is our desire that some of our organizers' time be spent in the organizing of elevator operators and starters as well as telephone operators and electrical workers. electrical workers.

I might also mention that the elevator operators in the following cities have written to me in the past month with reference to becoming a part of our Brother-hood: Detroit, Mich.; Cleveland, Ohio; Pittsburgh, Pa.; Denver, Colo.; Kansas City, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo.; Youngstown, Ohio; Philadelphia, Pa. and Newark, N. J.

I just received ballots for the coming referendum. It must seem quite amusing to the delegates, who attended the Atlantic City Convention, to read over some of the propositions that are being submitted to the membership. I am glad to see that some of our fair-minded members have submitted for consideration and vote the proposition of increasing the salaries of the officers and organizers of our Brotherhood, who are so poorly paid that the members of the rank and file are ashamed to have it known that an organization, such as ours, pays such a ridiculously small salary to the men employed to direct the affairs of such a grand institution, as our Brotherhood. May I convey to you that the last convention of the teamsters held in San Francisco increased the wages of their president, secretary, treasurer and auditor to \$4,000 a year and at an executive board meeting held in the city of St. Louis last week, the wages were again raised from \$4,000 to \$5,000 I just received ballots for the coming at an executive board meeting held in the city of St. Louis last week, the wages were again raised from \$4.000 to \$5.000 per year. When you read this, Brothers, those of you who are responsible for the defeat of the Atlantic City Constitution as submitted, you ought to droop your heads in shame. It may also interest you to know that only one other international union in our American Labor Movement, pays a smaller salary than the Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. It behooves all of us to cast our vote for Question No. 3. I am heartily sorry that the increases were not a great deal more than that outlined in Question No. 3, as submitted by Locals 35, 58, 103, 212 and 435.

This is a time that does not permit

This is a time that does not permit neutrality. Each man must stand up and be counted for those who are not with

us are against us.

As I am up against the time limit set by the International Office in sending in

this letter, I will close.

Hoping for the success of our Brotherhood and thanking Brother Broach and

the officers of our Brotherhood for the assistance so ably rendered in the drafting of our new agreement, we remain,

As ever, Elevator Operators' & Starters' rs' & Starters' Unio Local 147, J. J. McA. Union.

#### L. U. NO. 155, OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.

Editor:

Well Brothers it has been a good while since 155 has had a letter in the Worker, and as I was chosen for the duty, I will promise to have a few lines for the Broth-

s every month. There is not much work going on around There is not much work going on around here, although all the boys are working that are here. I hear that Brothers Corn and Brown have gone to Missouri to handle the monkey grip tire patch. I guess they have to be showed. Well we wish them good luck. Brother Slick Gallion is also twisting the monkeys tail down in Charlester South Corning.

twisting the monkeys tail down in Charleston, South Carolina.
Brother Gallion reports getting along nicely and we wish him the best of luck although we miss him a great deal in 155.
Brothers we are sorry to relate the sad death of Brother Bone who has been with us for several years. Brother Bone passed away March 15th. In losing the brother we have lost one that was always ready and willing to do what he could for 155 or any brother who may come along.

any brother who may come along.

Brother Nigh Cole is feeling very bad and is not able to be out. We hope when warm weather comes he will improve. Harry Cole, Davis and Dodson and several more brothers from 155 who are in the army, we wish them good luck and hope they will return all O. K.

We see Mother Bell has stood on end a 15ft pole in her pole yard to make some new lineman's. They had three or four recruits down there working them cut a few nights ago. I don't know the foreman who was in charge, but he must of got his few nights ago. I don't know the foreman who was in charge, but he must of got his training in the same way or he would not have taken the job.

I don't wish them any bad luck, but I hope not a D—— one gets to the top. Well Brothers I will close wishing you all the best of luck.

Yours respectfully,

Tom Delaney

ours respectfully,

Tom Delaney,

Press Secy.

I would like to know if 291 of
res still on the map. They are Boise was still on the map. They about as bad a local as Oklahoma City.

#### L. U. NO. 165, SUPERIOR, WIS.

Editor:

Just a few words from this young local Just a few words from this young local organized among coal dock men. At present we are on a ten hour day, but hope scon to get the eight hour schedule. Work at present is very dull on the Docks, but will pick up with the opening of navigation. We expect to have a fight on our hands this spring. We expect an organizer here to shake up some of the tardy ones. We always get a cut in our hours in the winter with a corresponding cut in wages which we do not like and expect to do away with hy getting on the eight hour schedule. with by getting on the eight hour schedule.
Will try and be more interesting next time.
Fraternally yours.

Peter E. Jensen

#### L. U. NO. 182, CHICAGO, ILL.

Editor:

The Bridge Operators of the City of Chicago, have lost a valuable man in the death of Thomas H. Cleary.

He was especially adapted to organizing, coming from a family who are prominent in the Labor movement.

He was elected president of the Bridge-tenders in 1910 and was returned to Office annually. Holding office at the time of annually. his death.

his death.

Through his efforts the Bridge Operators joined the I. B. of E. W., circumventing the Operating Engineers, who were bending every effort to have us join them. When he was first elected to office, there were two classes of Bridge Operators. A and B class at salaries of \$75.00 and \$100.00 a month. They worked 12 hours a day.

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He succeeded in having the B class abolished and the minimum wage raised to \$80.00. With a \$60.00 raise each year until they reached a maximum of \$100.00 a month, putting them all in one class. Eight hours was his new fight. He was successful in putting it into operation in 1916. At the time of his death the scale of wages was again raised. The scale at the present time being \$90.00 a month and \$110.00 a month, third year. He attended the last convention at Atlantic City and was a member of one of the important Committees. Committees.

John McDonald, Press Secretary.



THOS. CLEARY

#### L. U. NO. 195, MILWAUKEE, WIS.

Editor:

Is there any man with mind so dense as to believe that the Constitution should not be improved from time to time, so, as to keep up with the progress made by this organization. Are the Constitution and by-laws that were enacted six years ago when the I. B. E. W. had only a few thousand members sufficient for today, when we have over seventy thousand members, we do not believe so. Immediately after

the last convention there was started by a few disgrunted members a campaign to have the work of the Convention turned down, now Brothers is this fair? Especially in view of the fact that the majority memin view of the fact that the majority members did nothing to influence the vote one way or the other, can a just conclusion be reached en a question where only one side of the question is heard? Moreover the methods used in this case were neither fair or honorable. There were half truths, insinuations and wholly false statements made. I quote from a letter received by our union "The Convention done nothing for the Bridge-operators". Now this statefor the Bridge-operators". Now this statement is entirely false.

The Convention

The Convention did give the Bridge-operators all they asked for, of course those statements have no influence with us as we know they are not the truth, but there are others not knowing the facts who may believe they are true especially when they are not contradicted, and the truth ex-

plained.

are others not knowing the facts who may believe they are true especially when they are not contradicted, and the truth explained.

It is a well recognized fact in all organizations that the officers are the proper ones to shape the policy of the order in the interm between the Conventions, and any effort on the part of a member to take that right away from them, spells treason to the order, and should be dealt with accordingly. It seems there, are a few in the Brotherhood who are continually trying to create trouble. They seem to be built on the rule or ruin order. They are continually opposing the I. O. No good comes from the office in their eyes. These men have no effect at all on men who are old in the organized labor movement. They have seen and heard the same old thing before and it only digs up old memories with them, but to the young man who has not seen, and heard these old Plaints, it may be well to warn him that they are to be found in all organizations.

But thank God always in a hopeless minority, although if not stopped in time, they may and often do make much trouble by creating suspicion in the minds of the members who are not well posted.

It is not the trouble from without that is injurious to an organization. Such trouble arouses the fighting spirit in the members, drawing them closer together in one solid unit for the good of the whole, and is beneficial to the order. It is the internal disinsians that hurt the man that is welling to endanger the good name of the order for the sole purpose of getting revenge for some imaginary wrong done him, is a dangerous character and should not be tolerated. The rotten branch must be removed from the tree before it has infected the trunk. The way-ward child must be disciplined, and if still persisting in its wrong doing should be confined in order that the whole family may not be scandalized. The same rule applies to an organization where a few men are continually trying to start trouble. They should be dealt with in no uncertain terms as a warning, that

by standing by our own International offi-cers, who are doing everything in their powers to help win the war.

So fall in Brothers get in step, lend your aid, do your bit to help lick the Kaiser.

M. O'Neil,
Local Union 195.

#### L. U. NO. 212, CINCINNATI, OHIO.

James L. Bristow Senior Senator from Kansas brings this story from the huskings:

During the last gubernatorial campaign in Kansas a politician decided to sound out a certain Swedish colony. Approaching the leading Swede of the settlement he asked:
"What do you think of Gov. Stubbs?"
"Ay tank Stubbs is a good man," was the

reply.
"And what do you think of Hodges?" was the next question.
"Ay tank Hodges is a good man," was the

"Ay tank Hodges is a good man," was the non committal answer.

"Well, come now," said the politician, in a burst of confidence, "Who do you think has the best show?"

"Ay tank Barnum and Baily has the best show," replied the evasive Swede.

Rather hard to predict results in the above hasis

Rather hard to predict results in the above basis.
But first that hard would it have been to pick the winner in the Secret ballot held by No. 212 Wednesday evening, April 12th. Said ballot pertaining to whether or not we accept the contractors counter-proposition as to wage increase on May 1.

By this time it is no doubt ancient history to the boys at home, but for the benefit of any others who may be interested especially former brother members of No. 212 at present working in other jurisdictions.

at present working in other jurisdictions. I will mention the main points of our new agreement.

We have entered into a three year agreement as follows:
From May 1, 1918 for one year \$5.50 per

8 hr. day. From May 1, 1919 for one year \$5.75 per

hr. day. From May 1, 1920 for one year \$6.00 per

hr. day.

We are to receive doubletime for all over-time worked, and wages to be paid on job by 12 o'clock Saturday noon, or employee is given time to reach shop by Saturday noon.

Quite surprising when the secret ballot disclosed the adoption of the above agreement by a two-third majority with almost

the entire membership present.

Before the ballot was taken considerable debate was entered into with both sides offering very sensible argument. Our original proposal to the contractors of a one year agreement at \$6.00 per, proved well able to hold its own, with numerous backers, until the counting of ballots told of its downfall. downfall.

Personally, I believe we have entered into a good agreement. I don't care much for the three year stuff, but in this case I hon-

a good agreement. I don't care much for the three year stuff, but in this case I honestly believe it was necessary, as a preventative for far more union trouble which possibly was in store for us.

So boys, those who were on the losing side remember our struggle is all for the same good cause. If you feel as though you have lost, be a game loser. You know everbody likes the man who when everything goes wrong can stand the world up on end and slap it square in the face. Just figure it out from all angles that if we really lost, how much we gained by losing.

Our S. O. S. call sent to the I. O. as per constitution, was promptly answered by Organizer Bro. Broach. Words fail to describe the good that Brother Broach can do any Local that has the "run down all out o' sorts" feeling. As space here is limited, we can only say that the impression left

by him was that of a true Brotherhood Worker—determined and capable and our best wishes are certainly with him at all

With best wishes to the Brotherhood, we remain fraternally yours,

Local No. 212 (E. S.)

#### L. U. NO. 218, SHARON, PA.

Editor:

Well please don't get stage struck as this is just a line from the wood walkers of 218, to let the Bretherhood know that we are still on earth. Everbody is working and trying to be happy.

The wood walkers had a little vacation the first two days of this month, but the boys went back to work when the company decided to give them \$5.50 per day. They are giving them this till the Federal arbitrators come and adjust the difference. We ask for \$5.50 for nine hours and four ways, and other improved working rules, but as yet the agreement is not 0. K. by the company, but expect to have everything all 0. pany, but expect to have everything all O.

yet the agreement is not O. R. by the company, but expect to have everything all O. K. in a few days.

Well, Brothers, I have been appointed press secretary. I will try and let the Brotherhood hear from 218 every month, if nothing happens to me. I have been a member of this local for four year and never have seen a letter in the Worker yet. Our local meets the first and third Friday of each month in Eagles Hall and we have a pretty good turnout each meeting, although there are some that never come. But we are just as well off without them as they are not union men. They are only card men and they are the kind the boss is looking for. Well Brother Huttlie is still in the hospital. This makes his fourth month there. He had one of his legs amputated, but is getting along fine and he says that he is coming out of there some of

month there. He had one of his legs amputated, but is getting along fine and he says that he is coming out of there some of these days with a wooden wheel and will be back with the boys again. I wish him luck. Brother Huttlie is in the best of spirits and is traveling around the hospital in a wheel chair. He says the place is getting to seem like home. Brother Bill Cardin is in our midst and is well and happy and sober, but Bill is trying to get the boys to have a big smoker and wants them to have lots of liquid smoke. Ha! Ha!

Bill says to tell the Brotherhood hello for him. Brother Slim Maddox is also in our midst and is working. We have several other traveling brothers with us. At our last meeting we elected a safety delegate to meet with the company. Local 39 and 62 also are expected to send a delegate. The object of this is to have the three locals send a delegate and they will meet with the electrical engineer of the company, and take up the different ways of firing up some of the death traps, that we have in our territory. When a brother sees anything that he thinks is not safe, he is to tell the delegate and then at the next safety meeting they can take it up and see if they can get the company to make it ety meeting they can take it up and see if they can get the company to make it safe. I think this is a good thing and we look for some good results out of it. Well, Brothers, as this is my first attempt at this, I guess that I will close, hoping that this gots by the vertile properties.

gets by the waste paper basket.
With best wishes for a larger and better Brotherhood,

Yours fraternally,

Speeder.

Local 218, Sharon; Pa.

#### L. U. NO. 226, TOPEKA, KAN.

Editor

Topeka, once the home of the scab and the paradise for scab herders, is now pretty well organized.

The carpenter, the teamsters, the laundry workers, the cooks and waiters and

all the crafts in the Santa Fe shops, as well as the butchers and the meat packers and the street car men are in the ranks of organized labor.

of organized labor.

Mother Bell is still scabbing the job along with the Edison Company and the dry goods clerks, but there is some hope of lining them up yet. All things come to those who get down and dig.

The carpenters have been out for nearly two weeks for 65 cents per hour and show no signs of coming back for less. They were getting only 50 cents per hour.

While there isn't any big electric job, still every one seems to be busy at the present.

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present.
Brothers Roy and Chas. Sharke have joined the coast artillery and Brother Corp. "Jim" Camahan is reported somewhere in France taking special training.
Every one is worked up over the Hun drive and our own lack of speed.

Resp. yours, J. R. Woodhull, 919 West 16th St., Topeka, Kan.

#### L. U. NO. 227, SAPULPA, OKLAHOMA.

In selecting a writer in order to get a letter in the April Worker, it fell to me for

There isn't much to write from 227, but that she is still alive and "Walking the dog" getting a new member most every

dog" getting a new member most creek
meeting.
The third Liberty Loan drive was
launched here the 6th, with a large parade
of which all labor trade were represented. Brother Glen Salman who has been called to the colors is up from Camp Travis, be-ing called home on account of the death of his father, who was killed in a R. R. accident.

Work is very good. All members working at present, although we don't expect a boom, but we expect business to continue as it is

as it is.

Sapulpa Electrical Workers are 100 per cent organized there has been a few floaters through here but couldn't find a place to light on the account of not having the little green ticket in their pocket.

So Brothers, if you come this way don't forget the "green ticket" as excuses and alibis don't go. We are like the "old maid" we've been fooled before.

So will close for this time hoping this

So will close for this time hoping this

misses the waste basket. Fraternally yours,

R. T. Pitts, B. A.

#### L. U. NO. 231, SIOUX CITY, IOWA.

Editor:

As politics has occupied the best part of our time for the last ten weeks, we have not been represented in the Worker.

The campaign and election just closed, while it was one of the hardest contested and about the worst mud slinging battle ever fought in this city. The result was a decided victory for labor. The commission of rom of government is in force here. The Mayor, the commission of Finances and the Superintendent of Public Safety, Mr. W. R. Hamilton, all labor candidates were elected. Hamilton, all labor candidates were elected.

The vote was the largest ever cast in the history of the city. The Mayor won by a majority of over one thousand. The Finance Department head, a member of the Typographical union, was high man of the councilmanic candidates. The Superintendent of Public Safety, a member of the Painters and Decorators, won by a substantial majority. tial majority.

Our Mayor, Mr. Wallace M. Short, while not a union man, has been an honorary member of the central body for several

years.

Early in the contest the slogan of "Stick Together" was adopted and it was decidedly proven that labor; in face of the oppositions statement that it can't be done, could stick and win.

The political jobs at the city hall have many new faces, and nearly all these faces are familiar ones in union circles.

The electrical inspection department is now handed by two brothers of Local 231. Brother C. S. Lassen, as chief and Brother B. P. Martin as assistant.

The fire alarm department is efficiently operated by Brothers Provont and Momo of Local 47.

Local 47.

At present all brothers are working, however we have submitted a new wage scale and our fair list may have some changes shortly. We are asking for 75 cents per hour, double time for all overtime and a strictly closed shop policy. We hope to be able to report success in the next issue of the Worker.

The building prospects are very good here at present. Work has started on a new department store to be eight stories 150 by 150. A new ten story hotel has been started and with numerous flats and private residences in course of construction, work should be plentiful this summer.

The electrical work on our new one million dollar court house is practically completed and has been entirely done by union men, under the very efficient supervision of Brother Danielson of our local.

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Our meetings are very well attended lately and several new men have been initiated. We hope that the "Stick Together" policy will continue and that we can report a one hundred per cent union town, as far as electrical work is concerned, before many moons.

We extend the General Office and all sister locals our best wishes for a successful

B. P. M.

LABOR TICKET.
For Mayor, Wallace M. Short. Wo
For Councilmen, H. Michelstetter. Won. Won. Dave Levering.
J. P. Farley.
W. R. Hamilton. Won.

#### L. U. NO. 239, WILLIAMSPORT, PA.

Editor:

We are glad to report that Williamsport is finally on the map and that our employers still maintain that our village is not the lowest paid town in Pennsylvania, but next to the lowest and our newspapers come out every once in a while with an article from some cheap town in Maine to ascertain how they have successfully pulled the wool over the Henry Dubb's eyes in our peaceful little town nestled in the hills of central Pennsylvania.

Well boys, it took some perseverance and time to accomplish our start. Our people have been misinformed by our local papers and the United Press. It has been hard work for us to prove to them that we were not a bunch of anarchists or I. W. W's.

Thank God we are true and loyal peace

We were not a button of a button of which we were hot a button of the first true and loyal peace loving Americans and will fight for the right, for our home and our country.

About three years ago by chance, a little Irishman came into our peaceful little in the peaceful lit

town where potatoes, eggs and butter cost just as much as in New York City, but with wages on the standard of China Town.

He reorganized our local, enthused us with ideas of being better men morally, mentally and mechanically, and with the prospects of unity in the horizon set us on our way.

About three weeks ago we called him into town to consult a bunch of men who had been made to see that better conditions might be brought to prevail by setting cer-

tain standards with something to work to and work for.

Boys, we gave them an invitation extending from the bottom of our hearts to join us and be as brothers and they did join us and we are proud of them. They are some workers.

Through the aforesaid little Irishman from Scranton we obtained a gentleman's agreement with the Lycoming Edison Co. and the Prin & Sallada Co., Inc., and we are looking forward to a peaceful twelve months of work and prosperity.

We take this occasion to thank the Lycoming Edison and the Prin & Sallada Co. Inc., for the courtesy extended our organizer Mr. Boyle and assure them we will live up to the agreement in full.

By H. B. Taylor, Pres.

Local 239.

#### L. U. NO. 245, TOLEDO, OHIO.

Editor

Editor:

We held a very successful open meeting the first regular meeting in April when several new members were obligated. This meeting was the opening of our spring organizing campaign to get new members and to get some of our ex-members to again see that selling their time and labor collectively is the only method that they can use at this period when living costs are increasing at the rate of 2 per cent per month. month.

The hiring of extra linemen by the To-ledo Rail Light Co. has not yet started this spring—will take place May 1st the supposition is around the local.

Bro. Meyers is being sent to Cleveland as much as possible to attend meetings of the Interstate Conference Board. We as much as possible to attend meetings of the Interstate Conference Board. We are greatly in favor of this form of organization and hope that it will prove to be a winner and as there are lots of brains on the job to get it started we know it will be a success. Several Brothers from our local that were east and south for the winter have returned and we hope to have plenty of work this summer here so that they will all remain and that others carrying cards will also come to Toledo and locate here and help to make Toledo a better, busier burg for linemen.

We are very soon to introduce a wire

We are very soon to introduce a wire ordinance into the city council for our protection while at work on the job and several bad features that we are now up against will be done away with. If it is adopted there will be several extra hours of labor making these changes.

Toledo might have some publicity this month that she will not like if the question of a raise is not answered speedily. Four months ago the street car men and electrical workers requested more money to exist on. Matter was taken up by the rail light, who refused. Government Department of Labor, Secretary Wilson communicated with sent a Eederal conciliator. rail light, who refused. Government Department of Labor, Secretary Wilson communicated with sent a Federal conciliator, A. L. Faulkner, here pronto. He could not get anything out of the R. L. and the books were ordered audited for a period of five years. Report is the Rail Light owes \$5,500,000 and has not paid any dividend since 1907. Henry L. Loherty is here in person. The several conferences are now going on and as this has to be in on the 10th cannot tell what will happen. The old game pass the buck to the public in increased fares and rates is Loherty's idea—the mayor don't want this. The Government may according to tonight's paper take over the power houses and street cars as Faulker says, "One cannot expect men to work if they are not paid enough money to keep their families."

Yours for Industrial Freedom, Frank Ames, Press Secy.

#### L. U. NO. 269, TRENTON, N. J.

Editor:

Having been appointed press secretary of L. U. 269 in January and not having yet sent in a word about what's what, and who's who, my conscience has began to hurt, so here goes. Work at the present time is pretty well shot here, most of the boys working out of town. However things wont stay this way long as we expect some pretty nice stuff to break.

At the present time we have a big jurisdictional fight on with L. U. 98 of Philadelphia over the control of Bristol. We have been given the decision by I. V. P. Bugniazet, but it is still pending until I. P. McNulty puts the final O. K. on it.

Now in regard to a rumor that has been going the rounds at a very lively clip in this section. The scale on the job (merchant shipbuilding) is 75 cents per hour. Some of our dear Brothers have taken it on themselves to concote a low down prevarication which will undoubtedly give L. U. 269 an awful black eye. The story in its present state runs something on this order. Local 269 went down to the officials of the Merchant Shipbuilding Co. and offered to take over the job for 60 cents per hour. Now it would naturally fall on myself, being business agent, to go and do the snake act if such action were taken. I wish to make it clear that any local union that ever ordered me to take such action would be told plainly to go to hell, and it would not take me long to get my traveler out either. This rumor should be immediately stopped, as L. U. 269 has as good a reputation which we consider proudly, as being as good as any in the country. What's more we don't want it spoiled either. We have always had a closed town in Trenton and we have the respect of the contractors. We are not a bunch of scab herders either, as some of the dear Brothers say. We have had over five hundred floaters in our jurisdiction in the last year and I don't believe any of them would put Trenton on the pan. Local Union 98 or any other local need not be afraid of us scabbing on them. So much for that.

Well I guess I have shot enough hot air to clean out

#### L. U. NO. 271, WICHITA, KAN.

It has been some time since Local 271 has been heard from in the Worker. It seems to be one of the many things we

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There is considerable building here but conditions for all building crafts are very poor. Electrical workers are organized only 25 per cent and it is certainly hard to make progress as the right kind of material seems to be lacking.

Organizer Thos. Lee was with us this month and instilled at least a little more life into our local as well as our building trades. Bro. Lee made a most favorable impression on all crafts with whom he came in contact while here. It is without doubt that Bro. Lee is one of the most intelligent and ablest men identified with the labor movement who has ever visited Wichita. Largely through his efforts our local building trades was saved from the rocks and is now on the upward trend.

While unionism in Wichita is not strong at present there are many crafts now organizing who were never organized here before.

We will at least hope that we can write more encouraging reports from time to time in regard to this city.

With best wishes and regards for the I. B. E. W., I remain,

Pete Castholm,

Press Secretary, Local No. 271.

#### L. U. NO. 292, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

Editor:

Signs of spring are here now and that makes everybody sit up and take stock of their surroundings.

their surroundings.

Our new wage agreement will be up for final decision by the time this is printed. We hope for success but are ready for any eventualities. As one contractor put it, "We might as well give it to them, because if we don't they will strike any way." We have a banner on a, particularly ratty shop. The banner being carried by one of our own men which is more effective than having a professional banner man. This cash and carry shop objects to the banner, stating that they are unfair to electrical workers, as they never were fair to them, which is rather frank of them to say the least.

The B. A. reports that he sent in No.

of them to say the least.

The B. A. reports that he sent in No. 292 war service list. I hope we still can get a place with it. We are flying a service flag with about 30 stars on it and room for more. One of our boys was here last week from Jefferson Barracks. We have two there to my knowledge in the Base Ordnance Corps. He said they had asked transfer to the Coast Artillery, as their Corps was known to the others as the "Gun Shy Division." They won't be "gun shy" after they get used to the kick of the big ocean busters.

We hought \$100 worth of thrift stemps

We bought \$100 worth of thrift stamps and last meeting night we started a Jack Pot W. S. S. club on this basis. Each member coming to the meeting puts a dime and his half of his attendance card with his name on the card and a drawing is held before adjoint ment. The winner retains the state of the state his name on the card and a drawing is held before adjournment. The winner gets thrift stamps up to \$4 worth and anything over goes to the next Jack Pot. The first winner was E. M. Stancfield, the old war horse, who is always ready to make a speech on the impossibility of the improbable as he was doing at the time of the Jack Pot. Start the Jack Pot thrift club in your local and you'll find it goes big. It's good patriotism, good business and good example.

Several of our members tried the Sunny

good example.

Several of our members tried the Sunny Clime of Des Moines this winter and two brought their travelers back last meeting. There's something mysterious about Des Moines. Brother Broach dropped in there a few years ago, was met by the announcement that he was elected B. A., then he dropped into the International. Now Bro. Geo. Thompson, late of Chicago, late of 292, dropped in.

"Hello Geo," they said, "you are B. A." Geo. said, "fine let's help one another." Now I hear he's late of Des Moines and I want to warn Chas. P. Ford that he may be headed for Springfield and his job. If he does arrive Chas. send him out to the Lincoln monument and have him tell "Old Abe's" friends about the latter day eman-Abe's" friends about the latter day eman-cipator called Woodrow Wilson. George's long suit used to be German dialect stories but the Minnesota Safety Commission wouldn't let him speak the language any more.

Our old friend and trouble maker the Street Ry. Co. still defies the U. S. Government and persists in its disloyal and pro-German attitude towards its locked-out car operators. We'll call another little meeting in the Twin Cities and throw out the first man that makes a motion to ad-journ the mass convention before the street railway strike is settled and settled to stay settled. The president's commission said, "Go to it." We're going.

Fraternally good-night,
H. G. Bang,
P. S., Local 292 I. B. E. W.

#### L. U. NO. 316, OGDEN, UTAH.

L. U. NO. 316, OGDEN, UTAH.

Editor:

As it has been some time since this Local Union 316 has had a letter in the Worker, we would like to inform the Brothers that we are still on top. There has been a move made to better the conditions of the inside wiremen, who have not been organized for a number of years here, but our delegates through the building trades have a motion passed that no building crafts would work with any wireman without they had a card, and at our last meeting we had ten applications from the inside men. As there has not been anything said to the Brothers at large about the agreement that we had in this western division with the Mountain States Telephone Co. I beg to state that on March ist the company, after they heard we had a committee out gave us an increase of 50 cents for cable splicers and linemen, and the installers a \$5 and \$10 raise. These men they formerly paid \$45 to \$55 per month, and on account of some of the members in Local 57 who were called in as employes because the company had taken offense at our business agent being the chairman of our agreement committee, and because he notified the industrial commissioner of the state that the company refused to see a committee coming from the organization but would see their employes at all times. They called in a number of foremen and cable splicers and one or two linemen on drop auto trucks to tell them how they felt about this disgraceful action of the business agent in trying to get them to meet a bona fide committee, and these men, I am sorry to say, have used their influence in Local 57 to upset what we have been trying for the past eleven years to get this company to recognize the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, and because the management and the man that was their delegate to the last convention, Sam Birkhouse, got up a set of rules and had them presented to No. 57 and this local adopted same. Going back on their word, as it was understood that the agreement of the same opportunity here and on account of the a

At Provo there is no telephone men in that local, in fact they have not had any meetings for months, and the same applies to Logan. Where there is only one man belongs and he is satisfied.

We have tried to make this Western Division an ideal place for linemen and cable splicers and telephone men, an ideal place to work. We have had the chance to get the wages and conditions if it had not been for the action of some of the members in Local Union 57 of Salt Lake. We have been told that there is a large number of members dissatisfied, in fact every man that voted to go through with the agreement in the construction department working at Midwe'e had been laid of from work, and we know of no other reason that it has been because they were real Brothers and wanted to make conditions for the floating element that might come this way. On account of sickness in VonSchriltz's family he has left us very suddenly, and what the outcome may be we can't say at this writing. On last Wednesday one of the operators working at the Weber plant for the Utah Power & Light Co. Brother Wm. M. Harbertson dropped dead after his day's work at his home at Riverdale. He leaves a wife and three children and on Thursday evening while working overtime for the Utah Power & Light Co. Brother Guy C. Hagle, while making a tap on 4,000 volts or over got crossed up and was electrocuted. His sister, Madge Hagle, was wired from Jerome, Ariz, and his brother at Long Beach, Calif., also was wired and arrived in our city Saturday morning. We held services in the undertaking parlors and the Episcopal minister read the burial service on Sunday afternoon and 60 of our members and their wives attended same. Neither one of these men were entitled to any benefits from our International office, and at the meeting on Friday night there was a apointed that worked all day Saturday on the same and on Saturday night we turned over to Mrs. Hagle, the widow, \$122.50, and on Sunday evening our committee went to Riverdale Junction in an automobile and turned the same

this that their husbands were not entitled to any benefits.

So Brothers, this is what I call true brotherly love, and if you belong to this local you will always get a square deal, even though sometimes you have not got it coming to you.

Hoping, Mr. Editor, that you will find space for this letter, I remain, with best wishes,

Fraternally submitted, F. C. Rohmer, Member.

#### L. U. NO. 348, CALGARY, ALBERTA.

Again another month has rolled around with but very little of interest, but will try to get a few lines in the Journal. Work in and around Calgary is very slack, though we have no members out of employment at present and we are pleased to a chronyledge against a few will approximate the contract of sources and the same of sources are selected.

ployment at present and we are pleased to acknowledge receipt of several communications from outside points asking for men. So far we have been successful in supplying good union men. But our reserve is about exhausted.

We are always proud to meet visiting Brothers and assistance is always given men with a ticket paid up at Springfield, Ill. Now that spring is with us it is time to guard well our outer door and see that nothing but union men pass and repass and to guard our own interests. It is essen-

tial that we support the union label, no matter what we buy, for when we stop and consider that members of labor organizations in the United States and Canada earn four million dollars per day on an average, think what would be the results if this money were all expended for products bearing the union label.

products bearing the union label.

Strikes would be eliminated. All just demands of the workers would be complied with and no labor organization would be without recognition. See that your money all goes for union label goods. Why should not union workmen live in houses built by union labor and with the union label over the door? Do your buying in stores displaying the union card. Mr. Union Man the union label, stamp and shop card are mute appeals to you to do your duty. Support nothing but the label and you are supporting yourself. A union card in the pocket of a scab-made garment would certainly make an awful roar if it could only speak and if every laboring man will stick to the label a living wage and fair conditions will always exist.

I am pleased to say that the electrical

and fair conditions will always exist.

I am pleased to say that the electrical workers employed by the city of Calgary have practically got their agreement through and it was not altered in any way by the council and as soon as the agreements have been copied I will give the amount of increase and the principal working conditions which will no doubt be available by the time the next Journal goes to press.

With best wishes, I am,

Fraternally yours,

I. F. L., Press Secy., L. U. 348.

#### L. U. NO. 353, TORONTO, ONT.

The members of Local 353 of the I. B. E. W. send to you a hearty vote of thanks for the capable manner and the great as-

for the capable manner and the great assistance you have given this Local since you have been a member of it.

We feel you are indispensable to this Local by the sterling character given you by everybody you came in contact with, by the interesting efforts in the welfare of the Local.

We now wish you every success in your

We now wish you every success in your future. We on behalf of the executive board,

half of the Galland Fraternally yours, C. Phelps, Pres., S. M. Bugg, Sec.

#### L. U. NO. 380, PROVO, UTAH.

Editor

Well I do not think I was ever elected to the position of press secretary, but as a member of the I. B. E. W. I feel moved to get in print with a knock to start with. In the last issue of the Railroad Telegrapher there is an item that should raise the ire of any member of our Brotherhood, who wants electrical work for electrical works.

workers.

The item I refer to is where their president, Mr. Perham, says that he represents the signal maintainers and the telegraph repairmen. In other words he represents the linemen engaged in maintaining the telegraph and telephone lines along the various railroads in this country. Of course it is a well-known fact that they have been taking in these men all over the country, but I didn't think that a vice president of the A. F. of L. would have the nerve to come out in public and claim jurisdiction over work that he has no charter covering. I might state while on this subject that this bird did make a fight for these men while before the R. R. wage commission and that they publish an account of their hearings. Of course we must have had witnesses and a repre-

sentative at this investigation but the papers out this way never said anything about it and neither did the last Journal because of the lack of this we have had a hard time trying to line up the men employed in this class of work.

Now there are hundreds of men over the country employed in this class of work. A few of them carry cards but I have been unable to get a copy of any part of an agreement between any R. R. and the I. B. E. W. covering telegraph and telephone line work. If any Brother can help me out on this I would be very thankful. Hoping that the next Journal contains the hearings of the electrical workers before the R. R. Wage Commission, I am,

Frat. yours,

R. E. Knapp,

Pres. L. U. 380.

e 50.00

#### L. U. NO. 381, CHICAGO, ILL.

Just a few lines from Local No. 381 to the Brotherhood, to thank them for their kind attention to our appeal for the de-fense of our indicted Brothers. Although the trial now rests in the supreme court, we feel that we could not have carried it this far, if we had not received assistance from the Brotherhood.

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This is the only method we have of thanking each local personally for their help at this time when it was so badly

thanking each total personally for them help at this time when it was so badly needed by us.

The following is a list of donations received, and if there are any corrections or omission; we will be glad to receive them:

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Trustees, Local No. 381. ...\$2,164.50

#### L. U. NO. 382, COLUMBIA, S. C.

As my last letter was too late for the March number, I am coming in on the main line for April.

line for April.

We have so much good news I hardly know how to start this Genuine Bull.

However 382 is growing in membership.

Nearly every meeting night we take in a few which is something new down in this part of the world. The green tickets are coming also. We are not having much

trouble with men who come without the green tickets. They must have read my letter a few months ago along this line. Everybody here is working full time and working conditions are very good, but don't come this way without first writing our business agent, Brother T. B. Cooper. If we need you he will tell you so. Work at the Cantonment here now is all done by union men. The Government has acted fair and square with this last job here, in fact at first they paid the scale and over in some cases. But it wasn't a closed job. The inside men here have had it all over the outside wiremen. But it was all due to being organized. As is now proved.

We the employers of the Columbia Railway Gas and Electric Company have only been organized two years and have had our wages increased during the two years, as follows: Linemen 83 per cent, Station operators and helpers, 72 per cent, trimmers and Station Mechanic and meter men. We have presented our Second Contract and had it signed without the least bit of trouble and is as follows:

Outside linemen, 73 per cent increase, which amounts to 56½ cents per hour. Time and one-half for evertime, do u ble time after 12 o'clock midnight, and Sundays double time, all holidays double time. (3) Three ways on Companies time, off on Saturday 12 o'clock ncon. Trimmers pay same as linemen. Eight hours a day for everybody. Sub Foreman, 62 cents per hr. Station Operators and Mechanics, 50 cents per hour and increase of 62 per cent.

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Now think it over, only organized two years and our (salary) or wages has almost been doubled. Then look where we are at away down here where unionism is just in its infancy, but coming to the front in a hurry. We here want to thank the Committee for this increase. Committee of three as follows: (Linemen) Brother President, T. B. Cooper, Head Meterman, I. M. Keels, Operator, M. Turner.

Now for more good news to L. U. 382. Hey What is that? Yes by gosh Bro. E. H. Boland has bought a Buick runabout. And we will all take a spin, providing Bro. Boland don't get a quart a month, er more, from Jacksonville, Florida. Bro. Boland got the auto fever from Bro. T. B. Cooper and Brother Treasurer Dixon. Let us all pray now brothers, because you all know we are glad Brother Tres Dixon is back at the Sub Station and his face looks familiar here.

Bieht here I want you to know Bro. C.

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miliar here.
Right here I want you to know Bro. C.
W. Spence has the Auto fever and look out
I have the motorcycle fever, but the money
is my trouble. Brother Spence will look
at his dollars a long time yet, and if he
don't be careful, I'll beat him yet. Pat
your foot we are going to change the subject and shoot the Bull.
For the unorganized Southern Bell Tele

For the unorganized Southern Bell Tele-phone Company workers:

I have broken my legs climbing your poles I have broken my strength digging your holes-

I have worked as a slave all for the Bell I get enough pay for a meal ticket in Hell. I string wires from coast to coast, I put on cross arms from pole to pole, just to let the big guys boast.

I work like the devil for the Southern Bell I get a blue and gold button, so I'll be recognized in Hell.

I cant' afford to join a union for I'll surely lose my job—

I am getting old and have to work if they tell me to, I'll starve,
I'll have to do it, just anything they say I can't open my mouth about the pay I'll work here until I croak,
The Bell has me by the throat.

Now let us change the subject again (shoot) I couldn't bring this to a close without telling all the brothers that Bro. C. W. Spence has me beat a country mile. He has bought him a seven-passenger Jeffery, and of course was one hour late at the meeting Thursday night. Brother T. B. Cooper, President is some president and if he enforces the L. U. By-Laws as he has started, he will have to move to larger quarters as the Brothers will attend rather than pay the 50 cents fine. If Brother S. R. Westan happens to see this, please let me hear from you (at once) as I have something up my sleeve. Notice everybody has to read this, to find out what I say. Must pull the switch for this time, Fraternally yours,

L. A. Smith, Press Secretary.

#### L. U. NO. 457, ALTOONA, PA.

Just a few lines to let the Brotherhood Just a few lines to let the Brotherhood know what is going on in Altoona. When the Railway Employees Department of the A. F. of L. decided to organize the Pennsy system they picked on Altoona as one of the places to start with. The Penna R. R. Company employs about 10,000 men in their shops here and none of them organized so you can see the organizers had enough to start on at least. start on at least.

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The organizing crew consists of W. J.
Carr, machinist, J. G. Sause, Bollermaker;
W. L. Phillips, Blacksmith; J. C. Stewart,
Carman; and Brother F. J. Sweek of our
Brotherhood who also looks after the sheet
Metal Workers. That is a crew that is
hard to beat. They have been here about
two months and we now have six different
local unions among the shopmen, one for
each craft, represented in the Railway Employees department. The locals are all
growing fast and we expect Altoona to be
one of the best organized cities in the
State of Pennsylvania before many more
months go by.

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At our last meeting we decided to make our local a mixed one, instead of just wiremen. Our original local was a mixed one, but the linemen wanted to be by themselves so they left Local 457 and formed Local 219, which was in 1912, and they only held together about six months. They have had no local since then, and we hope they will stay with us this time, if we succeed in getting them which will not be a very hard job especially when Brother Sweek gets after them.

This will be my last letter from Local 457, as I am depositing my card with the new Local 650, and I hope my successor will do better than I have in furnishing news for the Worker.

With best wishes, I am

Fraternally,

Geo. W. Woomer, R. S.

#### L. U. NO. 500, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

Editor:

Just a few lines to let you know that Local 500 is still on top. Work has been good here but is now slack as the Government work is about completed. However, we hope to see more of it open up soon. The grass is so green and the sun is so hot one day that our fat itches to beat the devil, but the next day a blue norther hits up and we hunt the stoves.

Local 500 has raised its dues from \$1.25 for journeymen to \$1.50 for same and we are improving in many other ways. There are a bunch of floaters here at present and they always show more interest and get better results than home guards do. Local 500 is always glad to accept the traveler of a floater.

We deeply regret the recent death of our deceased Bro. J. H. Edwards.

Several of our members are here in the army and every meeting night we have the pleasure of the attendance of many Brothers from various locals in the uniform of Uncle Sam. Although many of our Brothers are in the services of our country they never forget the old I. B. E. W. If this conglomerated mass of blots, dots, crosses and mistakes misses your wastebasket I may take heart and try again.

again.

Fraternally yours, H. M. Rhodus, Press Sec.

#### L. U. NO. 515, NEWPORT NEWS. VA.

Although this local has been in existence 18 months, I have only seen one letter in the Worker, so I will endeavor to give you a few facts concerning No. 515. In September there were five shops in this vicinity and no local. The shops paid anywhere from \$1.75 to \$2.75 per day for a day of 9 hours. A few of us stood on the corner and watched the Labor Day parade go by and right there we resolved to start another local. (I think this is the third), and make it a sticker. In November we received our Charter and started out with thirteen charter members. Right then things began to move and have been movning ever since. At this writing we have 225 members in good standing, and we are still taking them in every Tuesday night. We went right to the bat and got every man working in the five shops. We then presented an agreement asking for 50 cents account of the bat and got every man working in the five shops. We then presented an agreement asking for 50 cents per hour, eight hours per day, time and one-half for overtime, and double time for Sunday and holidays, and got it. Well we worked along at that for awhile and some of the Brothers began to think that was all the local was good for. They had gotten what they wanted and here was no use in attending any more meetings. Then the Government began to spend a lot of money around Newport News and the place became overcrowded and naturally living went higher as it has done everywhere else. The camps were paying 56 cents per hour and when we asked for more we were told that we could not expect more when our scale was only 50 cents per hour. Well the camps brought us lots of new members and brothers began to come along with their travelers. In this way we got lots of good men who have been a benefit to us. We elected and installed new officers the first of the year, and got a little life in the Local again, and began to do business in a business like way. We had Bro. MacClelland for President and a finer one never came along. Brother J. B. Horrigan as Vice President, who can also hold them down when the President is not there. Brother W. D. Marrow, as Treasurer who can tell you right off the bat how your Treasury stands, and Brother H. C. Davis as Financial Secretary, who never has to lock at the books to see how much you owe on account of so many of our Brothers taking travelers. We have to elect a new Foreman and two Inspectors, as our old ones have left us, and I want to say right here that in H. S. Lenahan, we have the livest B. A. any cld local ever had. You have to hand it to him, he gets what he wants when he goes after it. He has been bringing in from six to fifteen applications every meeting night since he has held office, and we hope he will continue to hold office for a long time to come. He went to Washington to see about more money on the camps here and came back with the right dope on how to go

to work to get it. You can bet, then Chip goes right out and draws up a new agreement with the Local Contractors and signs up the five shops in our jurisdiction for 72 cents per hour and he didn't get it by standing around, saying nothing. He talked for it, and talked strong, and now that our scale is 72 cents we expect to get the same or more on the Cantonment work here, which is now paying 70 cents for Journeymen, 75 cents for Pushers and 85 cents for foremen, with the exception of the Langley Field Aviation School at Hampton, which has not come across yet, here, which is now paying 70 cents for Journeymen, 75 cents for Pushers and 85 cents for foremen, with the exception of the Langley Field Aviation S chool at Hampton, which has not come across yet, but we have reasen to believe that they will in a few days. Any Brother coming this way had better write the B. A. first and be sure to bring his green ticket with him as we are going to live right up to our By-laws. This local has affiliated with the Metal Trades Council which was recently organized here and has already done a lot of good work. We had elected a delegate to attend the Convention of the Metal Trades Council's of the Atlantic Coast to be held in Philadelphia on the 19th of March, but this Convention was postponed until a later date. At a special meeting held Saturday, March 30th, Brother J. B. Sawyer, vice president, was elected to go to Washington with the grievances of the Ship Yard workers in conjunction with the Delegates of the Mutual Trades Council. At our regular meeting Tuesday, April 2d, Bro. Lenahan was elected to go to Washington to work with a Delegation of the C. L. U, in regards to conditions and wages to be paid on Government contracts now under construction and others pending. We are looking for great things at Newport News and if all the Brothers will stick together and work hard we will soon have good conditions and wages in our jurisdiction, which we have never had before. With the help of Brothers J. E. Hardey, Beringking, Jackson, Beutchard, Sawyer, and Davis of the Ship yard, all hard workers for the good of the local. We can now state we have the ship yard practically 100 per cent which is going some when you know the conditions under which they have had to work. Too much credit can not be given them. I only wish that every local in the country had the spirit of that bunch. That job is also paying 72 cents, as far as we can learn. We have four Brothers on the Honor Roll. There are quite a few who expected to enlist in some branch of the service, but we have not heard from them as

#### L. U. NO. 558, SHEFFIELD, ALA.

Local No. 558 was organized and installed March 13, approximately 100 per cent strong. All officers were installed and our previous demands on the company were ratified. These demands were for 90c for foremen, 75 cents for journeymen and 37% cents for helpers. Double time for all overtime, Saturday afternoon, Sundays and holidays.

Previous to installation to local these demands had been made and presented by

committee selected by men in a mass meeting. Upon this committee presenting this demand to the Superintendent of the electrical department, they were told that if they did not like wages and condition, they could get their time. When the committee reported this every man on the job lined up for his time, although a very small percentage of these men, were carrying cards. The superintendent of the electrical department came cut and requested the men to return to their work pending adjustment of their grievance, which we did.

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The day following, the committee was discharged and put off the grounds by the police. The next morning all the men demanded their time, came to town and held a mass meeting. At this meeting another committee was appointed to see the superintendent demanding a reinstatement of the men. This committee returned to the grounds and were also escorted off by the police. One member of the committee sneaked back and succeeded in getting with Mr. Young, superintendent of the Air Nitrates Corporation, who stated he had never seen our demands and agreed to meet our committee in town the same afternoon. This he did, bringing with him the head man of the Westinghouse Church Kerr Co., Mr. McGraw. At this conference we were assured that our wage demands were being taken up at Washington and if the men ing taken up at Washington and if the men would return to their work pending the wage adjustment the improvement in living condition would be given us at once. This the committee reported to the men in this mass meeting who were waiting for their return.

It was voted to return to work the fol-lowing morning and wait for the wage adjustment.

All men were reinstated including our first committee. Three days later the following wage scale was posted: Journeymen, 60 cents per hour, time and one-half for overtime and Saturday afternoon; and double time for Sunday and holidays. No mention was made for foremen or helpers in this scale. in this scale.

During this trouble we appointed a business agent and assessed ourselves to pay him a salary. Even the men who were not carrying cards, voted for and paid this assessment. On the installation of the local it was voted to continue him in the same capacity as F. S. and B. A.

The above scale was posted the same day we installed the local. He voted to have our B. A. to see Mr. Young again and tell him that we were not satisfied with the scale and stood for our original demands.

He also wired the I. B. A. and I. O. to this effect and received an answer from the I. P. approving our demands.

Mr. Young stated that his office was almys open to our committees and that our wage demands would be taken up with Washington at the same time as other crafts who were also making demands.

The other crafts were given what they asked for with the exception of dcuble time for over time. The plumbers, steamfitters, and structural iron workers, struck the job for double time, but after being out one week they returned to work for one and one-half time for overtime, excepting the 75 cents scale at this overtime rate.

We again wired Mr. Purcell at Washington asking what action had been taken on our demands. He replied that he was trying to establish a uniform rate of 75 cents for electrical work. If we do not receive this adjustment within a short time, we will be compelled to strike the job, so

would not advise any floating brother to come this way at this time.

Hoping to see this letter in the April Worker, I am

Fraternally yours G. M. Campbell, Press Secretary.

#### L. U. 567, PORTLAND MAINE.

Editor:

Editor:

Everything satisfactory here in this part of the country. We have been successful in obtaining from the telephone company a wage scale (dating back to Jan. 1, 1918) the amount of which is 35 cents per day for all rated and unrated men; in addition to this all men outside of Boston, Mass., have been granted an increase of 12½ cents per day (also dating from Jan. 1, 1918) which brings us up to within 12½ cents of the Boston rating. The committee asked that we be put on the same rating as Boston men, but the telephone company took the stand that there was a differential in all trade unions in different states, and in this they were sustained by the international officers. The increase referred to together with others previously granted make an aggregate increase of 72½ cents per day, all obtained within the last eight months, and which shows grand good work.

Good news was received this week from good work.

last eight months, and which shows grand good work.

Good news was received this week from our members who joined the Signal Corps to the effect that they have safely arrived "over there" and everybody is anxiously awaiting further news, as it surely looks as though they had arrived in time to see lots of action.

It is with regret that I state that one of our members, Percy S. Bosworth, who joined the Signal Corps (Company E) has "done his bit" and given up his life to the great cause. Percy was one of the first to volunteer when the Signal Corps was formed, he was with the boys at Camp Devens up to Jan. 13, when he was transferred to what is known as the Carrier Pigeon Detachment (which is a part of the Signal Corps) and on Jan. 31, was sent ahead to England, he being in training there when he contracted pneumonia and died at London on March 13th. He surely did his share just as cheerfully and manfully as though he had taken part in all the world's greatest battles, and we can only say that he will surely get his reward on the other side of the Great Divide. His manly ways and cheerful presence will be sorely missed by all who ever came in contact with him, but it surely helps to know that he gave his all for the one great thing, and we can only extend our sympathy to his mother and relatives in Machias, Me.

In conclusion I wish to say that we now have a business office at Pythian Temple,

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A. H. Seal, Press Secretary.

#### L. U. NO. 584, TULSA, OKLA.

Editor:

As you have not read anything from L. U. No. 584 for several months and as I have been elected to take up a little space in the Worker, I will try and do so.

I. U. No. 584 is still alive and doing very well. Initiating a few new electrical workers each month and raising the underpaid linemen a little; as we have just received a raise for linemen working for the light and street railway companies from \$4.50 to \$5 per day.

The inside boys are most all working but don't know for how long, as material is a little short and the plumbers, sheat metal workers and hod carriers are out on strike and the carpenters are asking for \$7

per day the 15th of April, so if they should per day the 15th of April, so if they should suspend work to get their raise, it pos-sibly would put many of our inside mem-bers out of work, as most of our work is on new buildings.

The Liberty Loan drive is on now, and I suppose all the members who can will take out bonds the same as in the first two

issues.

We have several Brothers in here from everywhere. Bro. Siegman of 381, Chicago, got in here about two weeks ago and was not satisfied until he caught the small pox and then the health officer took him in charge and sent him to the pesthouse for safe keeping and now he is very much dissatisfied. I am going to close for this time but will try and take the pleasure of troubling the editor with some real dope next month. troubling the next month.

Yours fraternally,
J. J. Cease.

### L. U. NO. 608, PT. WAYNE, IND.

As usual you can't keep a good thing down. Since our start a year and a half ago we like the rest, have our ups and downs, and each trip up we hit a higher mark. Through the efforts of our brother organizer Bennett we were a long way ahead of our last year's record. The local can not express too much of its appreciation of the help we have received from Mr. tion of the help we have received from Mr. Bennett. His best efforts have brought a fine bunch of live wires to our membership and the little anvil chorus has been drowned.

The action taken whereby the agreement with the machinists about our members has at last given us an increase we are glad to get. The members of ours they have had are glad to get with us. It seems the only hard part was to start, and the rest was cost.

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Our last social event was certainly good to see and the next one we are planning will be a treat. The number of girls in our local lends much to making these social events real entertainments and at such entertainments we draw the crowds. Mr. Bennett and other good speakers have given us some good material for thought in speeches on these occasions. I hope other locals fare as well as we have lately and have a bunch with a punch.

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Our new by-laws are being put into effect with a great benefit to the back bone of the organization, the bank account. We are over the top this drive.

Fraternally,

Jack Watts.

Press Secretary, Local 608.

### L. U. NO. 697, LAKE COUNTY, IND.

Hello one and all. Let's all buy a Liberty Bond. Yes, my name is on the list, or will be so get yours on.

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Well after only four days' struggle Local No. 697 made another step forward in the form of \$1 a day increase for wiremen and 50 cents a day for foremen and also an increase for apprentices, which makes our scale as follows: Journey wiremen \$7\$, foremen \$7.50 and will state we feel a little chesty over the deal and feel well proud of our officers as a whole as they conducted the business affairs of the local in a good business like manner and showed the spirit of good trade unionist. In other words everything is "Jake" and we thank our officers one and all.

A couple of the contractors advised our standing grievance committee to hire a "business manager" to look after the affairs of the local. Well from all reports and viewing the present situation from all angles, why it would be advisable for them to take and heed their own advice as they sure pulled a nice "boner." I for one would suggest our executive board and business representative to manage their

Bro. Joe Lyons paid us a few days' visit and then beat it for Kansas City. Good luck Joe.

luck Joe.

I notice a good many locals have trouble about attendance; well we are not troubled as we have an average of 60 per cent and there is never any yelp about what is pulled off. Our young members make a good attendance—some are out every meeting night. Don't know the reason—only that they are trade unionist and like to listen to some of the arguments.

Every member is working and have several No. 13 members with us and no doubt could use some more. So if any come our way why get in touch with our business representative, J. W. Wagner, and he will give all the dope about the conditions, etc. Buy a Liberty Bond.

Yours fraternally.

Yours fraternally.

Jack, Press Secy.

### L. U. NO. 726, SAULT STE. MARIE, ONT.

Editor:

I would like space in your valuable Journal to let our Brothers know that Local 726 is still going ahead in the good work. We are continually getting new members and also a few Brothers from other locals, owing to the fact that there has been so much construction work going

has been so much construction work going on all winter.

Electricity is replacing the old methods of doing work for domestic and commercial purposes. Electric stoves and other devices are becoming more common every day. At our water supply station we have discarded steam pumps completely and are now using electricity. The pumps are run by two motors, one to supply the city and the other for fire purposes. These motors are 75 H. P. 2200 volts and 150 H. P. 2200 volts. This means that more men are always needed in the electrical trade and therefore a steady increase in the membership of our union.

I would like to tell about our thawing

ship of our union.

I would like to tell about our thawing machines which have been on the go continually since last November. These machines are operated by the "City Water and Light Dept." and furnish a large part of the work for the Brothers on the line in the winter. Up until the present time the department operated only one machine, but owing to the severity of the weather this year, the one machine was unable to keep up with the accumulation of thawouts, it was deemed necessary to fit up another one.

another one.

In the month of January we were about one hundred and fifty orders behind, but by working persistently, nights and Sundays, we were soon caught up.

These machines are equipped with a 25 K. W. transformer, a water rheostat, and carry about one thousand feet of No. 0 flexible cable. On the primary side the voltage is 2200 V. and the secondary side is 110 V. and carries a load of about 200 amperes. These machines were certainly very valuable in the past winter.

We have four motion picture shows here and all the operators are members of Local 726.

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The present moment is a very critical one for our local. We have a movement on foot in which we want recognition from all the department heads and employers in the city as some have not recognized us yet. It will be a hard struggle, but by the combined efforts of all the members, I think we will win. However I will let the Brothers know the developments in the near future. near future.

Bro. Brackbank has ceased to be our recording secretary and Bro. Bert Andrews

recording secretary and Bro. Bert Andrews now holds that very important office. This being the only change of officers of late. Enclosed you will find a clipping from a local paper and if you think any of the Brothers would be interested in the growing membership of unions in Canada and if you have space in the Journal you may make use of it.

"CANADA HAS 200.000 MEMPERS

make use of it.

"CANADA HAS 200,000 MEMBERS IN
UNIONS.

"Over 44,000 Were Added During Past
Year—Workmen's Legislation
Coming.

Coming.

"There are at present over 200,000 members of trade unions in Canada, the largest number in the history of the Dominion. During the year ending March, 1918, organized labor increased its membership in Canada by 44,000. The great increases are among the membership of the railway organizations and the metal trades. The annual report of the Labor Department, which is to be issued in the near future, will show in detail the increase in the membership of the unions.

"Labor men throughout Canada are interested in the news from Ottawa, that a bill is prepared and which will be introduced by the Government to bring all Federal employes under the workmen's compensa-

tion legislation in the various Provinces. Ever since the passing of the Ontario Workmen's Compensation Act, the question has arisen in various Provinces as to the status of workmen who were employed by the Government. It was claimed that Provincial legislation had no jurisdiction over Federal Government employes. The Government has now decided to settle the whole matter by introducing a bill placing all their employes under the legislation in various Provinces. This eliminates the necessity of Federal workmen's compensavarious Provinces. This eliminates the necessity of Federal workmen's compensation legislation to cover Federal employes. A bill is to be introduced also by the Government dealing with labor bureaus in the Provinces. The Dominion Government will duplicate in each Province the amount of money expended in organizing this work. If the Ontario Government spends \$25,000 on this work the Federal Government will provide another \$25,000 and so on throughout the Provinces."

We meet at the I. O. O. F hall on the first and last Tuesday of each month except when business calls for a special meeting.

meeting.

Hoping to have a good report for next month and also that some of this one goes in the Journal, I remain. Fraternally

Earl Murphy, P. S.

## THINGS ELECTRICAL

Induction Motor Faults.

When a new induction motor is received, it some times happens that in attempting to operate the machine, although it will start, the currents are excessive and unbalanced, undue heating appears or a peculiar noise is omitted and accompanied possibly by dimming of lights on the same circuit and the lowering of speed with perhaps actual shut down of other induction motors thereon. If after examination, there is found to be no difficulty with the air gax, belt tension, starting resistance or bearings, the probabilities are that coils have been damaged during transportation. Certain indications of these conditions are shown by instruments. The winding faults in a three-phase motor may be

1. One coil of the rotor may be open circuited. The armature of the rotor may have a defective winding just as may the field. A coil wound rotor construction is used only when a starting resistance When a compensator is used no starting resistance is required, and the winding consists simply of bars connected at the ends by a ring.

2. Two coils or phases of the armature may be open-circuited.

3. Armature may be connected properly but field coil or phase may be re-

4. Part of field may be short circuited. 5. One phase of field may be open-cir-

cuited.

With an open circuit in field or stator in a three phase motor current would flow only in two legs. There would be no current in the other leg and the motor would not start from rest with all switches closed. However a three-phase motor or a two-phase motor will run and do work if it is assisted in starting. The starting torque is zero, but as the speed increases the torque increased.

Squirrel cage armature or rotor troubles due to reversal of phases, phases opencircuited, and other causes, occur with squirrel cage armatures as well as with round armatures. Poor soldering of armature bars may be the cause. Sometimes a solder flux may be used that will insure proper operation for awhile, but time will develop poor electrical contacts due to chemical action at the joints. If the resistances of all squirrel cage joints are uniformly high, the effect is simply like that of an armature having a high resistance, which causes a lowering of speed and local heating at the joints. If some of the joints are perfect and some bad, the motor may not have the ability to come up to speed and there will be unbalanced currents.

Induction Motor Compensator Troubles.

Sometimes a mistake is made in the connections to the compensator, so that full voltage is used at starting and the lesser voltage after throwing over the switch. Then the motor at starting takes excessive current, and since the maximum output is in proportion to the

square of the voltage, the motor capacity is much reduced when it is apparently running on the operating position. Such actions, therefore, can usually be accounted for by a wrong connection in the compensator. Sometimes a motor connected to a compensator takes more current than it should, under which conditions a lower tap should be tried. Compensators are usually supplied with various taps and one should be selected which produces the least disturbance on the line, giving at the same time the desired starting torque at the motor.

When a motor having been connected to a compensator, will not start, the cause may be entirely in the compensator. The compensator may have become open-currented, due to a flash within. The switch may have become deranged, so that it will not close, or a connection within the compensator may have become loosened. Possibly when a motor will not start when connected to a compensator just installed a secondary coil may be bucked against another secondary coil within the compensator so that no voltage is produced by the compensator at the motor.

#### Work Notes.

An improvised attachment plug for temporary wiring on rush construction can be made using an old plug fuse. Solder one wire to the central contact and the other wire to the screw shell. Fill the plug with electrician's cement.

When troubled with a belt that slips on the driving wheel apply a little industrial type "Castor Oil" sparingly. The belt friction is greatly increased and operates properly unless the belt is too loose. If the belt is too loose the belt can be shortened by cutting off a section and splicing it again.

tion and splicing it again.

The setting of plaster of paris used for old house patching may be retarded from 1 to 3 hours by using a one half teaspoonful of vinegar or lemon juice. This method will enable an electrical worker to do his finished patching with one mixing in most cases.

A durable paint finish may be applied to lead covered cables exposed to view in dynamo rooms, telephone exchange, operating rooms, etc., by giving the cables a first coat of thin varnish. This furnishes a paint base and helps to prevent the paint from peeling.

The groove in a piece of matched flooring may be used to run signal, and telephone wires in an office where the job demands good concealed work.

A running thread in a piece of conduit may be reinforced to stand the rough handling of concrete fillers by using two one-half sections of coupling instead of the locknuts ordinarily used. The coupling sections hold the coupling rigidly in place.

In making a water-rheostat a varied resistance may be secured by making the contact plates triangular in shape with the point touching the water first. This method allows the proper contact to secure the control desired.

A temporary indirect lamp may be made for sick room purposes by using a tin cone reflector mounted so as to throw the light against the ceiling.

A round or rat tail file is a handy tool for work in assembling glass bowl reflectors. With this tool rough edged holes may be reamed to admit the hanger fittings.

#### Oil Leaking.

Sometimes the bearing of a motor will permit the oil within to be drawn out, perhaps a very little at a time accumulating enough after a few days or a few weeks to show on the outside or on the windings of the machine. While a motor will run for some time wet in its windings with ordinary lubricating oil without being apparently injured, it is a fact that insulation soaked with oil in this fashion will deteriorate and eventually give out. It therefore becomes important to stop the leak.

One of the principal causes is a suction of oil due to drafts of air from the rotor and one of the best methods to stop the trouble is to grease the bearing section where the oil is drawn through so as to provide a drip path back into the oil well.

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(1)4	New Orleans, La	D. W. Mason	32 Union Sq. 332 Nashville Ave	G. Lorrick	2369 Laurel St.,	Macabees Hall	2d Wed.
			332 Nashville Ave  607 Webster Ave  200 Guerrero St  103 Spring St				Every Friday. Every Wed. Every Monday.
(i)# (l)# (m)10 (o)11	Toledo, O	J. Cohen  Harry Slater  T. M. Porter  Raymond Clark	2022 Vermont Ave 5 S. Sangamon St 134½ E. Jeff St 233 17th St Box 70	R. W. Fisher L. M. Fee T. J. Shaffer	1205 C'llinworth Av. 5 S. Sangamon St Box 533	Kapp's Hall	Every Monday. Every Friday. 1st & 3d Fri.
(1)14	Pittsburg, Pa	E. L. Huey	805 Sandusky Ave.	G. A. Stockdale	Box 221. Dravos-	2d Floor 607 Web-	ZU OG TUH TTI.
(1) 15 (1) 16 (1) 17 (i) 18	Jersey City, N. J Evansville, Ind Detroit, Mich Oklahoma City.	J. W. Springer Wm. Frost E. L. Stevens	N. S. 1401 E. Maryland 333 Cass Ave 1517 W. 6th St	E. A. Richter J. G. Brill John E. Packard B. B. Butterworth.	258 Barrow St 604 4th Ave 333 Cass Ave 1805 W. 2d St.	642 Newark Ave 306 Up 1st Bricklayers' Hall 1274 Grand Ave.	Tuesday. Every Sunday. Every Friday. 1st & 3rd Mon.
	()kla		338 Curtis Ave	P. L. Reeves	21 Garnite St		Every Monday.
			Richmond Hill, L. I Westville, N. J	W. T. McKinney	i e	Broad and Arch Ste	Friday.
(1)22 (1)23 (1)24	Omaha, Nebr St. Paul, Minn Minnie. & St. Paul.	L. A. Harmon Pat Flaherty Harry Ridge	3711 N. 19th St Box 163	H. W. Skinner I. I. Woodward Harry Ridge	P. O. Box 638 Box 163	Labor Temple 75 W. 7th St Columbia Hall	Wednesday. 2d & 4th Thurs. 2d & 4th Wed
(1)25 (i)26	Terre Haute, Ind Washington, D. C	Wm. Caseldine J. J. Pearce	Minneapolis 508 S. 3d St	J. D. Akers B. A. O'Leary	541 N. 6½ St	624½ Main St SW. cor 12th & Pa.	1st & 3d Wed. Every Thurs.
(1) 27	Baltimore, Md	Chas. W. Taylor	2705 Allen Ave	J. A. Connelly	1728 N. Bond St	Ave., NW O. T. Nat. Bk. Hall	
(i)28 (m)29 (l)30 (m)31 (m)82	Baltimore, Md Frenton, N. J Erie, Pa Duluth, Minn Lima. Ohio	J. A. Huf	2406 W. Lanvale Av 115 Chancery St 133 E. 10th St 2015 N. 1st St 752 W. High St 610 E. Wash. St 207 Clark Ave 104 Asylum St	T. J. Fagan Harry Lewis Leroy Cross Wm. Murnian Wm. Koch	502 E. Fayette St 115 Chancery St 2110 State Nine E. 3d St 806 E. High St	502 E. Fayette Broad & Front C. L. U. Hall 416 W. Superior St. 21916 S. Main St.	Friday. 1st & 3d Thurs. 2d & 4th Fri. 1st & 3d Fri. Monday.
(m)#	Sacramento, Cal	G. Alpen	Labor Temple	J. Noonan	1120 20th St	Labor Temple	Every Thurs.
(1) <b>3</b> 7 (1) <b>3</b> 8	New Britain, Conn. Cleveland, Ohio	H. L. Carpenter J. W. Hart	237 Elm St 2182 E. 9th St Browning Bldg. 20311 W. 50th St	Thos. Stanton J. A. Groves	2182 E. 9th St	114 Arch St 2182 E. 9th St	1st & 3d Thurs. Every Tuesday.
(m)40	St. Joseph, Mo	Chag W Laughlin	17 E. Glenwood Ave. 1025 Mohawk St	C. B. Ellis	8151/2 Francis St	Floor.	Thursday.
(m)44 (1)45	Buffalo, N. Y	F. Miller Bryon Earl	545 S. Wilbur Ave 376 Garson Ave 61 Wilker St Rm. 317 Lab. Temp. 307 W. 14th St 311 St'k Ex. Bldg 1302 Wells St	J. Conlon	52 Pansy St 222 Floss Ave	42 Exchange St Wash. Goodell Sts	1st & 3d Fri. 1st & 3d Thur.
50 (1) 51	Belleville, Ill	Wm. Neil		E. Frederick	1105 Briston St	Byers Hall	3d Fri. 2 p. m. 1st & 3d Wed.
(1)53	Kansas City, Mo	C. W. Emery	Kas. City, Kas.	Joe Cloughley	Kas. City. Kas	Labor Temple	Tuesday.
			Gen. Del 1429 Lyon St	E. A. Bennett	1301 Hutton St	21½ N. Front St Trades & Labor Assembly Hall.	Friday.
(1)57 (1)58 (1)59 (1)60	Detroit, Mich Dallas, Tex San Antonio, Tex	Fred Taylor H. E. Watson A. R. Rigsbee	2805 Cascade St P. O. Box 402 333 Cass Ave 601 N. Akard 824 W. Poplar St 540 Maple Ave	W. S. Irvine F. K. Harris J. A. Hooper	P. O. Box 402	17th & State	Every Tuesday. Tuesday. Every Monday.
(m)63	Warren. Pa	F. M. Scheaffer	618 Oak Hill Ave 6 W. Wayne St P. O. Box 195	W. J. Fitch	116 Main Ave	Rartenders' Hall	2d & 4th Mon.

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(1)58	Denver, Colo	F. C. McCartney	227 S. Logan	E. S. Hawkins	633½ Hamp St 26 S. Sherman St P. O. Box 827	1517 Lawrence St	2d & 4th Mon. Every Monday.
(m)70 (i)71	Cripple Cr'k, Colo.	A. A. Hammett E. E. Evans	Fox 282	A. A. Hammett	Box 282	116 S. 2d St	2d & 4th Thurs, Every Thurs.
(i)72 (i)78	Waco, Tex Spakane, Wash	N. Silsbee	Box 418	Claud Doyle B. H. Metzger	P. O. Box 418 1916 N. 11th Ave	Carpenters' Hall	Every Tues.
	-		Ave.	"	15 Illinois Ave	•	
(i)76	Tacoma, Wash	H. S. Keiglev	15802 Park Ave	R. D. O'Neil	536 Oakdale St 5642 S. K St Labor Temple	220 Realty Bldg	Every Friday.
(ca)78	Cleveland, O	W. Morriss	1585 E. 101st St	Leo A. Conners	11178 E. 84th St	12182 E. 9th St	lat & 4th Tnes.
(m)80	Norfolk, Va	L. C. Major	Portsmouth Vo	T. J. Gates	622 Oneida St P. O. Box 232, Nor- folk, Va.	Church St., I. O.	Wednesdays.
(m)81	Scranton, Pa	S. Willis	619 Prescott Ave	W. E. Evans	1310 Academy St 21 Tecumseh St 2512 Stanford Ave	123 Penn, Ave	1st & 3d Fri.
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(m)84 (s)85	Atlanta, Ga Schenectady, N. Y	T. J. Johnston Geo. Gormley	Box 669	Jno. Childress C. V. Platto	132 Front St	Labor Temple 248 State	3d Friday
88(m)	Chillicothe, O	J. C. Jones	774 Madison Ave	A. L. Knauf A. Wachenschwanz.	343 N. High St	Trainmen's Hall	2d & 4th Tues.
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(n)91	New Haven, Conn Brownwood, Tex	I. E. McKinney	215 Meadow St	Geo. W. McLean	720 Milton Ave 112 Valencia St	215 Meadow St	2d & 4th Mon.
(m)93	E. Liverpool, O	A. B. Czech	336 W. Church Allet	J. W. Canter	Gen. Delivery	Fowler Bldg	l 1st & 3d Fri.
(m)94 (m)95	Kewanee, Ill	J. G. Hoover	852 Pine St	O. G. Smith	2311 Connor Ave	Trades Assembly	Ist & 3d Fri. Every Friday.
(m)96	Worcester, Mass	Paul A. Hoey L. O. Miles	228 Day Bldg	Jos. Lawrence	4 Walnut St	4 Walnut St	1st & 3d Mon.
(1)QR	Philadelphia, Pa Providence, R. I	J. S. Meade	123 N 15th St	I.J. C. Wolf	123 N. 15th St 153 Chase Ave	Broad & Cherry	Every Tues.
(i)100	Fresno, Cal Cincinnati, O	O. D. Fincher	1139 Eve St	C. R. Russell	212 Valeria St	1139 Eye St 1313 Vine St	Every Tues.
((i)102	Patterson, N. J	Robt. Sigler	154 Straight St	Alvin Bennett	Route No. 2, Ridgewood, N. J.	859 VanHouten St	Every Thurs.
	Boston, Mass				Hyde Park, Mass.	987 Washington St.	
	Hamilton, Ont., C		Somerville Mees	G S Farley	45 Cedar St., Cambridge, Mass. 93 Gore St	2214 John St. S	2d & 4th Wed
(m)106	Jamestown, N. Y Gr'd Rapids, Mich	Leonard Peterson	18 Chapin St	F. J. Kriiger	869 Spring St 112 Colfax St. N.E	19 W. 3d St	Every Mon.
103	Tampa, Fla	Manuel Gonzaley	P. O. Box 662	R. L. Carpenter	General Delivery Arcadia, Florida	   1012½ Franklin	1st & 3d Thurs.
(1)109 (1)110	Rock Island, Ill St. Paul, Minn Denver, Colo	W. J. Frank W. H. Kempe	20th Ave. & 25th St. 75 W. 7th St	A. G. Zastrow	807 29th St 1287 Juliet St	21st and 3d Ave 75 W. 7th St	2d & 4th Mon. 1st & 3d Thurs.
				W. L. Hughes	Box 11061D	1517 Lawrence St	1st & 3d Thurs. Every Thurs.
	Louisville, Ky Colo. Spgs., Colo	Henry Reed	Tefforconville Ind		1642 Bismark Av 521 N. Royer St		8:00 p. m. Every Wed.
(m)114	Fort Dodge Ia	Jas. Evchaner	Ave.		716 6th Ava., N		
(i)116 (m)117	Ft. Worth, Tex	J. Costello	1101 Houston St	Jim Davis	Shotts Elec. Co 227 Washburn St	Labor Temple	Every Wed.
(1) (18)	Dayton, O	Joe Young	40 Dotomas	S. Caper H. S. Newland	12 Woodrow Terr	12 Woodrow Ter Rm. 203 Ruda Bldg.	2d & 4th Tues.
(m)124	Temple, Tex London, Ont., O	W. Costello,	497 Quebec	C. Burthwick D. C. Rhodes	643 Lorne Ave	Richmond St	2d & 4th Thurs.
(m)122	Augusta, Ga Great Falls, Mont	M. A. Murphy	Box 385		Box 385	Labor Hall I. O. O. F. Hall	Every Tuesday.
	Kansas City, Mo		2720 Spruce, Kan- sas City, Kan.	Fred H. Goldsmith.		Labor Temple	
127	Portland, Oreg Kenosha, Wis	F. J. Forbes	855 E. 68th St No. 1. Park St	F. J. Forbes	No. 1. Park St	Howland & Elizab'h	2d & 4th Wed.
(m) 128 (m) 129	Portland, Me Elyria, O	W. Francis Baker Gaylord Tucker	1002 Brighton Ave	Earl G. Bean Harry Millard	174 Stanford St., S. 116 Water St	509 Pythian Temple Union Hall	1st & 3d Mon. 1st & 3d Tues.
(i)1 <b>36</b> (m)1 <b>3</b> 1	New Orleans, La Kalamazoo, Mich	D. J. Byrne F. R. Jackson	Box 742	H. M. Miller Harry E. Oswald	715 Union St 523 Davis St	612 Gravier St Trades-Labor Hall.	Friday. 2d & 4th Thurs.
(m) 189	Olifton, Ariz	V. B. Willits	20 T iberty Ct	Geo. W. Harriman.	Box 1265 10 Watkins Ave	Eagles' Hall	2d & 4th Wed.
(i)136	Birmingham, Ala	Ben H. Mitchell	Box 205	J. L. Ellis	526 N. 9th St Box 205	2009½ 3d Ave	Every Friday.
(1)1 <b>8</b> 7 (m)1 <b>2</b> 8	Albany, N. Y Oatman, Ariz	Jno. Chickering R. L. Shipp	64 Morton Ave	Frank Rafferty C. A. Nott	254 Morton Ave Box 315	S. Pearl St Union Hall	4th Monday. 2d & 4th Wed
(m) 189	Elmira, N. Y	R. A. Connell	Tuttle Ave	L. H. Sergent	Box 315 571 Colburn St	200 E. Water St	2d & 4th Wed.

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(1) 191	Schenectady, N. Y Wheeling, W. Va Boston, Mass	i E. H. Hagan	648 Market St 160 Milton St.,	IS S Could	1228 20th St	246 State St Odd Fellows Hall 294 Washington St.	Thursday.
(i)148 (to)144	Harrisburg, Pa New Bedf'd., Mass. Decatur, Ill	U. S. Grant	Dorchster, Mass. 1209 Chestnut St	Ira S. Davis	211 Locust St Box 360.	Powers Bldg., Rm.	Last Wed.
(1)149	Chicago, Ill	Edw E Green	618 Benton St.	J. A. Cronin	920 9th St., N. E	444 412 Masonic Temple Northeast Temple 13 S. River St	2d & 4th Thurs. 2d & 4th Wed.
(1)151 183	Waukegan, Ill San Francisco, Cal. Deer Lodge, Mont	B. E. Hayland	Lake Forest, III. 887 Fulton St	W. F. Coyle	Waukegan, III. 1726 LaSalle Ave Box 220	Waukegan, III. 112 Valencia St I. O. O. F. Hall	Every Friday
(1)154	South Bend, Ind  Davenport, Ia  Okla. City, Okla	Wm. Thompson	Ave	E E Koontz		Musicians, 1281/2	
(m)150	Ft. Worth, Texas Madison, Wis Springfield, Mass	Harry Fielman	1213 Evans Ave 105 N. Hamilton 56 Vermont St	Ion Broith	Box 251	W. Grand. Labor Temple 27 N. Pickney St Moose Hall	ZO & 4th Thurs.
	Greenfield, Mass Kansas City, Mo	1	Kansas City, Kan		123 Conway St 2539 Gillham	Rm. 306-813 Wal- nut St.	2d & 4th Mon.
(i)1 <b>64</b>	Wilkes-Barre, Pa Jersey City, N. J	L. Nolte	69 Bleeker St., Jersey City	Arthur Wichmann.		642 Newark Ave	Every Friday.
(10)101	Superior, Wis	A. B. Willard	159 Elm St	Paul A. Sawyer	2429 John Ave	57 Main St	1st & 3d Fri. 1st & 3d Wed. 1st & 3d Tues.
(m)175	Chattanooga, Tenn.			E. B. Messer	1214 Chamberlain Ave.	Central Labor Hall.	1 -
(1)178	Joliet, Ill Jacksonville, Fla Canton, O	Wm. Weida	Musicians' Hall  8 Verna St	Jas. Strow	1011 E. Ashley St 614 Alexander Pl. N. E.	101 Jefferson 23 Main St Bartenders' Hall	Tuesday eve. 1st & 3d Mon.
(m)180 (i)181	Vallejo, Cal Utica, N. Y	Geo. Hegarty	Box 251	W. H. Wiley	Box 251	Norristown Trust Bldg. Labor Temple Labor Temple	Every Wed. 2d & 4th Fri.
(i) 183 (i) 184 (m) 184 (m) 185 (m) 187	Chicago, Ill	Wm. Devereux C. J. Stallord Geo. Johnson S. L. Beckwith Ellis Nichols	4411 Wilcox St 323 Columbia Ave. 773 E. 3d St Box 267	John Evoy J. T. Dillon Harry S. Griffee S. L. Beckwith Patk Joy	Y. M. C. A. Bldg Box 267	Tr'd's Assem. Hall. Labor Temple	2d & 4th Fri. 2d & 4th Mon. 1st & 3d Tues. 1st & 3d Tues.
	Newark, N. J		Wallagton Maga	1	250 Clifton Ave	nancock St.	
(i) 193 (i) 193 (l) 198	Everett, Wash Pawtucket, R. I Springfield, Ill Shreveport, La	T. J. Kemp Edward O'Connor F. C. Huse	Rabor Temple 79 N. Main St 625 W. Herndon Watson Elec. Co	John Worswick Andrew Thompson. W. H. Sammons Chas. Serwich	7 Mary St	21 N. Main St Painters Hall	1st & 3d Tues. 2d & 4th Wed.
(bo) 196 (m) 194 (m) 197 (m) 199 (m) 200	Milwaukee, Wis Rockford, Ill Bloomington, Ill Oskaloosa, Is Anaconda, Mont Boston, Mass	Louis Brandes M. D. Corcoran Maurice Kalohan G. C. Powell Wm. Crane	Texas St. 405 Albion St. 405½ So. Court St. 1521 S. Main St. Box 483. 57 Mt. Vernon St., Braintree, Mass	Louis Brandes Jos. Coughlin L. C. Reed Frank Jameson A. S. Jones A. B. Kingsley	405 Albion St 224 Miriam Ave 801 S. East St 515 S. 2d St Box 483 9 Richfield, Rox- bury, Mass.	274 3d St	2d Wed. 8 p.m Bvery Friday. 2d & 4th Wed. Monday eve. Every Wed. lst & 3d Mon.
(m) 306 (m) 304 (m) 206	Flint, Mich Springfield, O Jackson, Mich	H. R. Anderson Frank Brennan Ralph Baker	1930 Beach St 203 E. Pleasant St. 109 Summer St	L. H. Smith Jos. Perry	516 Rix St	Olympia Club Labor Temple Labor Hall, Jackson	Monday. 1st & 3d Mon Every Friday
(n)200 (l)210	Stockton, Cal Burlington, Vt Logansport, Ind Atlantic City, N. J.	H. C. Lukens	37 S. Kentucky	R. L. Stafford	2501 Pacific Ave No. 12.	Cent. Lab. Council. 85 Church St Trades Assm. Hall. 1801 Indiana St	lst & 3d Fri. Tuesdays.
	Atlantic City, N. J Cincinnati, O	<del>!</del>	N. Fairmont, Cinn.		14 S. Fleming Ave. 1313 Vine St	1	
(m)218 (s)214	Vancouver, B. C Chicago, Ill	Mat Moynihan	207 Labor Temple	E. H. Morrison J. W. Cruise	842 N. Troy St	Labor Temple Rebman Hall	Mondays. 1st & 3d Fri.

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(1)218	Owensboro, Ky			E. L. Mitchell	16 Sycamore St	Leahman's Hall	2d & 4th Mos
217 (m)918	Trenton, N. J	Dand Man)	94 C. Oakland Ana	T W Dies	Dom 147	Factor Hoti	Lat & Od Wai
(1)218	Sharon, Pa	Louis For	524 Coorgo St	H. W. Bice	Box 147 123 Jackson St	Union Hall	2d & 4th Mon
(1)220	Akron O	C H Shaw	216 Parkway	S P Morgan	210 S. Main St	319 S. Main St.	Every Monox
(1)221	Resument Tex	A. P. Guynes	Box 524	R R Ramey	Box 524	I. O. O. F. Hall	2d & 4th Wed
(m)222	Medicine Hat,	R. J. Franks	Box 342	R. J. Franks	519 2d St	Trades Hall	2d Wed.
(1)222	Alta., Can.	Harvey S. Hatch	Boy 11 West	A B Spancer	Crescent St., West	Rm 26 126 Main	Every Wed
		i	Bridgewater, Mass.	!	Bridgewater, Mass.		
				i	313 Orchard St		
		İ	134 Prospect St		Westerly, R. I.		1st New London 3d Norwich.
(i)226	Topeka, Kan	C. J. Maunsell	222 S. Euclid Ave	J. L. Lewis	315 Park Ave	418 Kansas Ave	1st & 3d Wed.
(m)23/	Sapulpa, Okla	B. F. Binghamm	OT N Character Ct.	J. P. Schiffbauer	3 S. Main St	Union Hall	Tuesday.
(1)229	York, Pa	Lawrence Malenorn.	275 N. Snerman St	Jno. Billet	700 Prospect St 2736 Asquith St	fabor Hall	Every Menden
(i)231	Sious City Iowa	H A Tuler	2710 Myrtla St	I. W. Tulor	1610 Gilver St	6th & Nehrocks	Every Tuesday.
232	Kankanna Wis	Otto Heas	Kaukauna Wis	Frank Welsch	1610 Silver St S. Kaukauna, Wis	Forester Hall	2d Saturday.
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(m)234	Brainerd, Minn	B. E. Dunham	Laurel St	E. L. Dahl	906 15th St	Tr'd's & Labor Hall	1st & 3d Wed.
(m)235	Taunton, Mass	Jas. E. McGreevy	133 Somerset Ave	T. C. Sartoris	41 Clinton St	Bartenders' Hall	ist & 3d Fm.
(m)236	Streator, Ill	A. Dyas	704 Harrison	John F. Melody	206 S. Illinois	Armory Hall	Ev. other Wed.
(1) 237	Niagara Falls, N.Y.	Walt. R. Potter	545 lst St	Chas. Weber	729 Willow Ave Box 724	Engineers Hall	Every Friday.
(1)238 (m)238	Asneville, N. C	U. W. Webb	648 7th Arr	C. Hollingsworth	150x 724	Centi. Labor Hall	Wednesday
(m)240	Williamsport, Pa	C Stavens	301 Sycamore St	Chos Frdman	430 Birch St	Labor Asson Hall	2d & 4th Thurs
241	Seattle Week	R F Gorden	610 Kilbourne St	Bort Tonkelev	4007 22d Ave	Labor Assem, Ham.	
(m)242	Pittsfield. Mass	F. J. Russell	206 Woodlawn Ave.	Conrad Kline	123 W. Front St 4007 22d Ave 4 Harvard Pl	C. L. U. Hall	1st & 3d Tues.
243	Savannah, Ga						1st Friday.
(to)244	Lynn and Salem,	C. A. Foster	S. Hamilton, Mass.	Geo. L. Hall	60 Market St	Federal & Wash.,	
	Mass.			l	Lynn, Mass. 2435 Detroit Ave	Salem, Mass.	
(1)245 (m)246	Toledo, Ohio Steubenville, Ohio.	S. K. Ruckman	maxwell Elec. Co	J. D. Call	410 Pittsburgh St	oth & Market	
(a) 247-b	Schenectady, N. Y.	Herbert M. Merrill.	228 Liberty St	Jas. Cameron	4th St., Scotia, N.Y.	Elec. Wkrs. Hall	1st & 3d Thurs.
(m)248	Gulf Port. Miss	Dan Manoney		! U. J. Gates	1 Box 290	Bousieg Bldg	ist & ou thurs.
(s)249	Rock Island, Ill	B. J. Jordon	936 17th St	Wm. Norren	3102 16th St., Mo-		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
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(m)250	Ding Ding And	D. McLellan J. D. McCrary	1404 W 27 Ama	J. J. Kector	Box 577	Duild Trades Hall	Lat & 3d Wad
(i)252	Ann Arhor Mich	Clifford Wood	1103 E. Wosh St	Frank Reardalev	120 Catherine St	Trades Council	2d & 4th Wed
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(m)254	Schenectady, N. Y	M. T. Northup	6 Forest Rd	F. Hooker	115 Barrett St	246 State St	1st & 3d Wed.
(m)255	Ashland, Wis	S. J. Talaska	R. No. 1	E. W. Bruce	1118 Willis Ave	Pabst Hall	2d Wednesday.
(1)250	Fitchburg, Mass	John Gilmertin	Water St	Gavin McCall	40 Cane St	Lincoln Hall Annx	2d & 4th Thurs
(8)257	San Francisco, Cal	Geo. G. Austin	1743 Greenwich St.,	L. E. Long	1151 Polk St	16 and Capp	Friday.
(1)200	Providence, R. I	W. E. Sedgley	42 Regent Ave	Jas. Harrgon	198 Summit St E. Prov.	72 Weybossett St	ist & 3a Fri.
(i)259	Salem, Mass	G F Smith	Box 251	R W Corner	Box 251	53 Wash St	1st & 3d Mon.
(rr)260	Baltimore, Md	<b></b>					
(1)261	Petersboro, Ont., C.	H. Anderson	Brownton, P. O	P. Adamson	P. O. Brownton	George St	2d & 4th Wed.
(i)2 <b>62</b>	Plainfield, N.J	Ralph Eatz	751 Midway Ave	G. Raymond.	P. O. Brownton 443 W. 4th St	224 W. Front St	2d & 4th Mon.
(m)985	Lincoln, Nebr	W C WaC	120 N 1445 C4	Strayer.	Labor Temple	Labor Tample	Thursdays.
(m)200	Sedalia, Mo	W. C. McCoy	001 TO 11+1 C+	in to wixson	20th & Wash. St	Labor Temple	
(c) 267	Schenectady, N. Y	R C Hell	729 Pleasant St	J N Cain	Route No. 6	Elec. Wkrs. Hall	1st & 3d Sat.
(m)268	Newport, R. I	Vinc't F. Leonard	Forest Ave. Mid-	Geo. Haydock	13 Lincoln St.	Merchants Hall	2d Thursday.
			dleton, R. I.	•	13 Lincoln St Newport, R. I		
(i)2 <b>69</b>	Trenton, N. J	J. H. Brelsford	342 Cleveland Ave	C. F. Shaffer	696 Southard St	S. Broad St	Every Mon.
(m)271	Wichita, Kan	R. G. Miller	1345 S. Waco St	L. K. Babbitt	2704 E. 9th St	120 N. Market St	Every Mon.
(m)2/2	Clinton Icar	U. M. Tait	328 W. Unerry St	R. H. Smith	223 E. Jones St 320 9th Ave	Over 112 54h	Act of 4th l'ues
(r)274	Columbus O	Ed. Roberts	469 N. Corfold Avo	I C DoMuth	185 N 20th St	0 N Long St	1st & 3d Tues.
(m)275	Muskegon Mich	Jos E White	469 Wash Ave	H. Danninge	185 N. 20th St 48 Jiroch St	Western Ave	1st & 3d Thurs
(m) 276	Superior, Wis	C. O. Boswell	1915 Belknap St	O. E. Eby	1304 Baxter Ave	Belknap & Hughitt	1st & 3d Tues.
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(1)277	Wheeling, W. Va	H. C. Duckworth	Kirkwood, Bridge-	C. H. Kellar	3923 Jacob St	1516 Main St	Every Friday.
(m)278	Paris, Texas	W. C. Welch	port, Ohio. Box 496	Thos. G. Martin.	Box 496	Moose Hall	Friday.
	Fitchburg, Mass	Francis J. O'Neill.	96 Albee St	Fred V. Gale	2 Gage St	304 Main St	1st Tuesday &
F					i	1	3d Sunday.
(m)230	Hammond, Ind	R. E. Wheaton	333 Oak St	S. A. Livingston	213 Hoffman St	500 Hohman	Friday.
(m)281	Anderson, Ind	Perry Neal	2022 Cedar St	Wm. Vess	807 Union Ave	Carpenters' Hall	1st & 3d Thurs.
(m)282	Chicago, Ill	Wm. J. Barrett	5115 Wood St	J. E. Walsh	3801 S. Halsted St	4647 S. Halsted	2d & 4th Friday.
(m)288	Uakland, Cal	Fred W. Voigt		Geo. Wagner	1303 Magnolia St	28/ 12th St	Friday.
905	Peru Ind	Thos. A. Butler	57 Dexter Ave 266 W. 6th St	H. IIIIngworth	136 Seymour St	Trades Cour Hall	ist & 2d Tues.
(m) 998	New Albany Ind	J. A. KOAd	266 W. 6th St	P H Walsh	114 E. 3d St 2115 Elm St., E. N.	Trades Coun. Hall	2d & 4th Tree
(11/200	ALDENY, IIIu	U. D. Diel	13th St., bet. Elm & Oak St.		Albany.	1	
(m)288	Waterloo, Iowa	F. H. Moore	726 Baltimore tS	W. H. Wehb	314 Oak Ave	414 Mulberry St	Every Thurs.
(to)289	No. Adams, Mass	F. D. Viens	81 Williams St	R. H. Harvie	6 Magnolia Terr	69 Main St	2d & 4th Fri.
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(1)393			Address.	Fin Sec'y.	Address.	Meeting Place.	Meeting Date
	Boise, Idaho Minneapolis, Minn	W. C. Griffith Geo. Thompson	1605 N. 8th St	Roy Carson J. D. Hoban	Box 525	Labor Headquarters Cook's Hall, 43 S. 4th St.	
(1) 293	Springfield, Mess	Wm. Irish	96 Eastern Ave	D. L. Tetrault	32 Willard Ave	Central Labor Hall.	1st & 3d Wed.
264	Hibbing, Minm	Arthur Kalibalky	Zant Hotel	Arthur Kalibalky	Zant Hotel	3d Ave	2d & 4th Sun.
(1)296	Little Rock Ark	A. W. Wright	P. O. Box 894	J. C. Parr	1001 W. 15th St	West Hall, 10th St	
	Berlin, N. H Michigan City, Ind.	Arthur Greivain	Cascade, N. H 214 Porter St			Stall Blk	
(m)299	Camden, N. J	Jos Tallman	2105 Howell	A. G. Watkins	815 Grant St	7th & Birch	Every Thurs.
(1)800	Camden, N. J Auburn, N. Y	J. M. Barrette	31 Mattie St	E. M. Lewis	154 Franklin St	Cent. Labor Hall	2d & 4th Fri.
301	Texarkana, Texas			T. A. Collins	2209 Pecan St.,	Labor Temple	2d & 4th Fri.
(m)802	Martinez, Calif	L. Stinchfield	Pittsburg, Cal	Edw. Pascoe	Texarkana, Ark. Box 545		2d & 4th Mon.
	St. Catherines, Ont., Can.		Hydro Sub. Station.		Ī		
(i)805	Greenville, Texas Ft. Wayne, Ind	А. Н. Меует	2316 Walsworth St 724 Riverside Ave	H. Mommer	Huntertown, Ind R. R. No. 2.	Municipal Shop 610 Calhoun St	Every Wed.
(m)306		Gordon McKinnev	115 E. 8th St	W. A. Busby	119 E. 18th St	102014 Noble St	Meets Tuesday
(III)evi	St. Petersburg, Fla.	J. E. Resley G. N. Taylor	356 N. Mechanic St. 15 Taylor Ter	Jno. Smerty	51 William St Childs Park Route 223.	Trades Council hall Band Pavilion	Ist & 3d Thurs. Every Monday.
(1)800		I Phillips	912 Natalia Ave	B. S. Reid	506 N. 22d St	537 Collinsville Av	Every Thurs.
(111)011	Santa Ana Cal	D I France Ir	302 S Flower St	T. S. Hunter	1019 W. 1st St	4th & Birch Sts	lst & 3d Tues.
010	Wilmington, Dela	G. L. Brown	614 Pine St	W. J. Outten	Boz 77	Weedman Hell	Lvery Friday.
	Spencer, N. C Bellingham, Wash			C. M. Parris	718 Girard St	Labor Temple	Every Wed.
		O II Nobel	2208 Jackson Roul	W. U. Wilson	14400 MOHIOE OL. W	234 N. Clark	AU & HILL INUIS
				M. C. Smith M. E. Paden	DUA TILLER	Masonic Hall 842½ 4th Ave	Every Friday.
(-/	Huntington, W. Va. Knoxville, Tenn	IP H Porter	(1120 /En St	M. E. Lauch	736 Hiawassee Ave.	Gay St	1st & 3d Mon.
(T)OIA	Danville III	Mar Uarris	724 Clavelond St	Geo. Bridgewater	42 S. Kimball Ave	46 1/2 N. Vermilion	2d & 4th Wed.
				Arill Brandt	815 Park St 340 Charters St	Union Hall	1st & 3d Fri.
(m)321	LaSalle, Ill	Chas. Burksenbuhl.	200 Tinden Assa To	H. B. Farlow	163 N. Connell	1st & Crosart Labor Hall	2d & 4th Tues
(m)323	W. P. Beach, Fla	Joseph E. Bell	322 2d Ave	Stephen L. Harmon	417 Gardenia St	Clamatia St	1st & 3d Wad
				H. W. Reed	716 S. Walnut St	8½W. Nat. Av	2d & 4th Wed.
(ш)ого	Binghamton, N. Y	T. I. Tabor	245 Con <b>kHn Ave</b> ,	A. D. Barnes	6 Bevier St 229 Bruce St	istate st	Zu os sun muon.
(m)327	Paneagole Fla	T. T. Cnorks	814 N 19+h Ava	E. R. Cunningham.	424 W. Garden St	W. O. W. Hall	1st & 3d Mon.
(m)0m0	Oswego, N. Y	E. C. Bough	144 W. Bridge	Frank W. Gallagher	79 E. 8th St	Lab. Hall, W. 1st St	1st & 3d Friday
/ \ DDA	Shreveport, La Lawton, Okla	W. R. French	BOX /40	Tana A. OTA CIT	Box 740 1001 Park Ave	Simon Bldg City Nat'l. Bank Bldg.	Saturday.
(1)331	Decatur, Ill	I. W Covert	262 S Broadway	W. F. Hornebeck	149 E. Prairier	444 Powers Bldg	1st & 3d Tues.
(1)004	San Jose, Uai	Pdw A Stock	180 F. Inlian St		745 Morris St	Labor Temple	
(1/000	Fortiand, Me	R C A Morrison	50 Turner St		895 Congress St 113-15 W. 5th St	Congress St Redmen's Hall	Every Triday. Every Thurs.
(m)835	Pittsburg, Kan Springfield, Mo	V. L. McGlotnin	113-15 W. 5th St	Don French	**. 0011 50	Dingledine's Hall	
(1)330	mannattan, Kan	John Lund	1410 Fairchild Ave	John T. Steels, Jr	810 Humboldt Ave	228 Poyntz Ave	1d & last Mon.
(FT)88/	Parsons, Kan Dennison, Texas	F G McGinnes	211 N 12+h S+	O. C. Webb	11900 Kennedy Ave	1816½ Main St Labor Hall	1st & 3d Wed.
(m)369	Ft. Wm., Ont., C	Wm Roine	Box 203	O. Dougherty	137 W. Francis St	Labor Temple	2d & 4th Fri.
(1)349	Sacramento, Cal	C H Coale	2403 TV St	L. T. Weber	12/24 J St	Labor Temple	2d & 4th Fri.
(m)841	Livingston, Mont Roanoke, Va			Geo. M. Henry	208 S. O St	112 S. Main St	
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343 (m)344	Taft, Cal Prince Rupert, B. C., Canada.	N. L. Ball		J. B. William J. H. Morrison	P. O. Box 23 Box 305	Oil Workers Hall Fraser St	1 & 3d Wed. 1st Tuesday.
(m)345	Mobile, Ala	J. A. Hall	N Rescomb Ave	L. C. Lytz	209 Lexington Ave	552 N. Royal St	Every Monday.
830	rt. Smith. Ark	C. L. Cooper	811 Q 13+h Q+	W. W. Morris	1214 S. H St	Labor Temple	1st & 3d Thurs.
(1)847 (m)848	Colcory Alta Con	Chas. John	1041 W. 6th St	C. L. Page	Roy 2181	Labor Temple	Every Monday.
(i)349	Calgary, Alta., Can. Miami, Fla	E. A. Garrett	629 44th Ave. W	A. J. Taunton	Box 2181	Townley Hall	Every Wed.
(III) OUT	maninuai, mo	irted Constable	1115 Valley St	Harry Baldwin	2010 Grace	201 Broadway	lst & 3d Fri.
(1)352	Lansing, Mich Toronto, Ont., C	Herman Lee	917 Flyin C+	Orlo Rector	633 W. Madison 46 French Ave. W	227 N. Wash. Ave Labor Temple	1st & 3d Friday Every Thurs.
(i)354 358	Salt Lake City Perth Amboy, N. J.	Ray Gillett	Box 213	G. W. Fahy	Box 213	Labor Temple Union Hall	Every Wed.
357	Roanoke, Va	·····		G. E. Hazelwood	369 Woodland Ave.		
/ > ***	Pt. Arthur, Ont., C.	N. Kennedy	54 N. Cumberland St.	C. E. Olmstead	S. E 41 Elm St	242 Arthur St	Every Friday.
(III) 500	Tononah Nev	Walter Ross	Box 1012	Walter Ross	Box 1012	St. Patrick	
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(m)861 (i)364	Rockford III	A. E. Crist	1010 11th St	C LOTTER TO THE PARTY OF THE PA			
(m)861 (i)364 (m)865	Rockford, Ill Waterville, Me	Merle Mitchell	14 Wash St	A F Webber	97 Western Ave	Carpenter's Hall	Every Thurs.
(m)861 (i)364 (m)365 (m)267	Waterville, Me Easton, Pa	Merle Mitchell	14 Wash St	A. F. Webber	97 Western Ave	Carpenter's Hall	Every Thurs. 2d & 4th Fri.
(m)861 (i)364 (m)865 (m)867 (l)868 (m)869	Rockford, Ill Waterville, Me Easton, Pa Indianapolis, Ind Louisville, Kv	Merle Mitchell Geo. Martin Gilbert Thirlwell	14 Wash St	A. F. Webber J. E. Hurlbut J. F. Timmons F. J. Kintner	97 Western Ave 612 Belmont St 1827 Fletcher Ave 3616 Bank St.	Carpenter's Hall 439 Northampton st. Labor Temple Yoose Home	Every Thurs. 2d & 4th Fri. 1st & 3d Tues. Every Monday.
(m)861 (i)364 (m)365 (m)367 (l)368 (m)369 (1)379	Rockford, Ill Waterville, Me	Merle Mitchell Geo. Martin Gilbert Thirlwell E. F. Meisenheimer.	14 Wash St	A. F. Webber J. E. Hurlbut J. F. Timmons F. J. Kintner G. W. Allen	97 Western Ave 612 Belmont St 1827 Fletcher Ave 3616 Bank St 150 N.Beaudry St	Carpenter's Hall 439 Northampton st. Labor Temple Moose Home Labor Temple	Every Thurs. 2d & 4th Fri. 1st & 3d Tues. Every Monday.

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Union Hall..... C. L. U. Hall.....

Mechanic's Hall....

246 State St.....

Powers Blk.....

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Labor Temple...

Labor Hall.....

K. P. Hall.... 1119 E. Ave...... Labor Temple.....

623 Lake Ave.....

303 1st St. S. W....

Labor Temple.....

1131 7th Ave.....

33 S. Maple St.....

140 Magnolia Ave...

537 Schtdy St.....

415½ Desiard St.... 1019 Perry St.....

Dallas Auto Sales.

Box 196.

101 Adams St....

Box 961....

L.U.	Location.	Rec. Sec'y.	Address.	FinSec'y.	Address.	Meeting Place.	Meeting Date
(m) 375 (m) 376 377	Allentown, Pa Princeton, Ind	H. T. Pfenning Clyde West C. G. Innis	R. F. D. No. 2 417 E. Walnut 22 Green St	C. W. Moyer R. R. Waltz C. W. Shattuck	826 Turner St 417 N. Hart St 463 Chestrut St	207 Water St 729 Hamilton St Mod. Wood. Hall Carpenters' Hall	Every Friday.  1st & 3d Wed.  2d & 4th Tues.
378 <b>879</b> (m)380	San Francisco, Cal. Thomas, W. Va Provo, Utah	C. J. Ausmus H. I. Shields Wilson Peters	Box 582 1010 W. Centre St	J. I. Johnson F. J. Watson R. L. Gillespie	146 Stewart St	146 Stewart St Mine Wks. Hall 44 W. Centre St	Every Wed.
(m)382 (m)383	Columbia, S. C Gillespie, Ill	I. M. Keels Geo. Wallerman	Ave. 4601 Ridgewood St Gillespie, Ill	F. B. Green E. H. Baker	1012 Price Ave Box 556	Plumbers' Hall Belner's Hall	Every Thurs. Every Thurs.
(m) 385	Muskogee, Okla N. Adams, Mass New York, N. Y	Edw. McGowan	Williamstown, Mass.	Oscar Hellig	Gen. Del	69 Main St	1st & 3d Tues. 1st & 3d Thurs 2d & 4th Friday
(m)388	Palestine, Texas Glen Falls, N. Y	Jno. W. Jones	911 W. Louisiana St 18 Stewart Ave	Jno. W. Jones	Brooklyn, N. Y. 911 W. Louisiana St	Labor Temple Glen & Berry Sts	2d & 4th Mon.
(m)391 (m)392 (m)393 (i)394	Pt. Arthur, Tex Ardmore, Okla Troy, N. Y Havre, Mont Auburn, N. Y Boston, Mass	H. L. Bradshaw Fred McDermott P. Greenberg Howard Mapes	210 D. St. S. E 59 Congress St Box 113, P. O 20 Grant Ave	J. J. Stansell I. S. Scott Chas. Ranyan Howard Mapes	59 Congress St P. O. Box 113 20 Grant Ave	I. O. O. F. Hall Labor Temple 230½ ist St. Mantel's Hall W e l l's Memorial	1st & 3d Thurs. 1st & 3d Mon. 2d & 4th Wed.
	Balboa, C. Z., Pan		Dorchester, Mass. Balboa, C. Z., Pan.	E. C. Hartshore	Everett, Mass.	Hall, 987 Wash. Balboa Lodge Hall.	
(m)400	Asbury Park, N. J	Geo. De Wint	90 Mt. Carmel Way Ocean Grove, N. J.	Author Maps	702 Mattison Ave Ocean Grove, N. J.	Mikado Hall	Tuesday.
(i)402 403	Reno, Nev Greenwich, Conn Portsmouth, O San Francisco, Cal.	Harry Holbeck Geo. E. Hobbs	919 Jones St 260 E. R. R. Ave 1026 Findlay St	W. D. Peck N. L. Boven	919 Jones St 11 Lawrence St 1914 7th St 1908 Essex St.,	Bldg. Trades Hall 125 Greenwich Ave 214 Masonic Temp Building Trades	1st Thursday. 1st & 3d Thurs
(m)406	Okmuigee, Ukia	Chas. Kerry	1600 D. Ave 17 Wellington St E. Braintree, Mass.	H. R. Shivel Henry Calnan	Berkeley, Calif. 356 S. 18th St Box 773 28 Chubbuck St Quincy, Mass.	Moose Hall Rm. 22 Johnson	Wednesdays. Every Thurs. 1st & 3d Sun.
(c)409 411	Missoula, Mont Washington, D. C Warren, Ohio Santa Barbara, Cal.	R. J. Hall J. W. Tranter	1428 G St. S.E 310½ Swallow St 270 Alama Ave	B. A. Vickrey E. Doleman J. W. Spargo	314 W. Cedar St	W. Main St Wellers Hall Eagles' Hall	1st & 3d Fri. 2d & 4th Tues. 1st & 3d Mon. Thursday.
(m)415 (m)416 (m)417 (m)418	Macon, Ga	O. L. Moulton H. H. Foster Allen Bettisworth H. E. Gage	Box 423	O. L. Moulton H. H. Foster J. L. Manley R. J. Sands H. Schlueter	907% Walnut St	Eagles' Hall Union Hall 907½ Walnut St	Friday. 1st & 3d Fri.; Ex. Bd. 2d &
(m)420	Keokuk, Ia	H. H. Smith	N. Y. 1724 Ridge St	H. H. Smith	1724 Ridge St	1001 Johnson St	4th Fridays. 1st Tues.; 3d Wed.
422 (r)423 (rr)424 (m)425 (m)426 (i)427	Sarnia, Ont., Can Moberly, Mo Decatur, Ill Salamanca, N. Y Sioux Falls, S. D Springfield, Ill	J. H. Smith R. E. Love Edw. Coover Fred Lear Earl House Homer Herrin	167 Davis St	R. E. Love	416 Roberts St	Over Mullen's Store R. R. Y. M. C. A Maccahees Hall Eagle's Hall 21646 S. 6th	1st & 3d Thurs. 2d & 4th Wed.
(i)429	Nashville, Tenn	Max V. Boreing	2123 25th Ave N	W. B. Hope	834 Stockell St	41116 Main St	1st & 3d Wed.

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T. A. Keiser.

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Joe Holub....

Douglas, Ariz..... Fred Mathews.... Winnipeg, Man., O. R. J. McArdle.... Watervleit, N. Y.... Harold Farrar.....

Fall River, Mass.... A. W. Lawrence... Twin Falls, Idaho... R. C. Cole......

Akron, Ohio...... Henry E. Gray....

(m)440 Riverside, Calif.... V. W. Dundas.....

(m)443 Montgomery, Ala. S. G. Roberts.... (m)445 Battle Creek, Mich. E. A. Clark....

(m)449 Pocatello, Idaho....A. A. Haley.....

441 Ellensburg, Wash... E. B. Thompson... (s)442 Schenectady, N. Y., Harry Lewis.

(i)429 Nashville, Tenn.... 430 Racine, Wis......

(m)446 Monroe, La...... (m)447 Sandusky, Qhio....

448 Dallas, Texas.....

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(m)451	Santa Barbara, Cal.	L E Martin	Box 415	E E Betz	Box 415	Fithian Bldg	Every Frider
452	Gloucester, N. J	Donald Williams	324 Morris St	B. H. Young	123 S. Filmore	5th Pine	Monday.
(i) 453	Billings, Mont		<b></b>	Herry Bolater	421 S 30th St	Labor Hall	1st & 3d Thurs
454	Bluefield, W. Va	E. L. Patterson	Box 632	G. H. Easley	Box 632	Moose Hall	1st & 3d Thura
(1)400	Miami, Fla	D. R. Harris	638 12th St	A. L. Brost	931 16th St	Townley Bldg	Friday,
(40.)400	New Br'nswick, N.J.	W. J. Murray	Route No. 1	Thos. Dumiee	108 Tourisend St	Federation Hall	2d & 4th Fri.
(i)457	Altoona, Pa	Geo. Woomer	219 E. 1st Ave	G. A. Reger	807 East St	C. L. U. Rooms	2d & 4th Mon.
$(m_1)458$	Aberdeen, Wash	R. V. Wells	600 W. Hermon	R. I. Dick	1400 Morgan St	Bldg. Trades Hall.	Wed. evening.
(20)400	Chickasha, Okla	Wm. Purcell	Box 413	C. D. Phillips	519 Minn Ave	Union Labor Hall	1st Wed.
(1)201	Aurora, Ill	C. A. Tounsend	226 Illinois Ave	J. L. Quirin	City Hell	Over B Ineatre	2de 4th Tues.
(TT)468	Springfield, Mo	F Bunwell	1957 Benton St	J. E. Taylor	331 W. Webster	Cermania Hall	2d & 4th Tues
(m)466	San Diego, Calif	A. E. Peck	Box 118	A. W. Molsdale	Box 118	Moose Hall	Monday.
(1)466	Charleston, W. Va	R. C. Miller	223 Revnolds St	T. N. Crawford	713 Penn Ave	Stage Workers'Hall	Every Sat
(m)467	Miami, Ariz	M. A. Peterson	Bex 581	C. M. White	Box 581	Plumbers' Hall	1st & 3d Wed.
1	Van Nest, N. Y Bessemer, Ala	i	New Rochelle, N. Y. 1706 Pike Ave.,		Bronx, N. Y.		
	Haverhill, Mass	l	Engley Ala.		Engley Ala		-
	Millinocket, Me		i		Bradford, Mass.		1
(m)472	Stanford, Conn	H. C. Bolt	15th 4th St	H. C. Bolt	15th 4th St	Weeds Hall	11st & 3d Mon
(rr)473	Terre Haute, Ind	W. O. Partridge	2505 Kenwood Ave	C. C. Evinger	2315 N. 12th St	. 221 I. O. O. F. Bldg.	2d & 4th Tues
(1)4/4 (m)476	Memphis, Tenn Saginaw, Mich	Chas. H. Willard	1010 N. Wash Ave	Clark Jordan	Fulton & Genessee St.	Saginaw F. of L.	lst & 3d Fri. Friday.
(m)477	San Bernardina,Cal	Jr. J.T. Wilson	727 Count St	Geo Rone	858 5th St	Hall. Labor Temple	F 003
(m)478	Rome, N. Y	Leon Pillmore	121 W Fox St	B. F. Butler	813 Floyd Ave	Moose Hall	2d & Ath Thomas
(1)4/9	Reaumont, Tex	IO C Brandt	Rov 039	U. A. Weber	1 Box #32.	Trades Ass'hiv Hall	9.1 % 44h Dinal
480	Marshall, Tex	Paul Frahey	E. Rusk St	E. L. Hilliard	704 E. Rush St	K of P Hall	10.3 6. 443. 104
(1)481	Indianapolis, Ind	W. Moore	1315 N. Onley St	O. Dunn	319 N. Delaware St	Labor Temple	Wednesday.
(1)488	Eureka, Calif Tacoma, Wash	W L Bradsham	2309 Union St	J W Clark	7820 Pacific Ave	71916 Commerce St	1st & 3d Tues.
(i)486	Ithaca, N. Y	C. E. Copeland	323 Mechanic St	C. L. Berry	Cascadilla St	Redmen's Hall	1st & 3d Mon.
(m)455	Ithaca, N. Y	Wm Shonmaker	853 Lafayette St	Albert Walkley	352 William St	Plumbers Hall	1st & 3d Mon.
(m)490	Centrana, III	K. E. Moore		Unas. McMillian		Fellows Hall.	1st & 3d Mor.
(m)491	Hopewell, Va	Harry T. Aycock	Box 926	J. H. Carnes	Box 1004	Moose Home	Monday night.
(1)493(	Montreal, Que. O	O Porrier	5)4 (Jarnier	l .	l .	235 Regudry	194 & 4th Man
(m)485	Johnstown, Pa	F.J. Platt.	1728 Duke Allev	IL G Powell	1625 Linden Ave	Opperman Bidg	Int to 9d Thron
(1)591	Milwaukee, Wis San Francisco, Cal.	T. I. Ouconen	2851 21ot St	Chas. Hansen	Palbon Dide	Fredericks Hall	Friday.
(m)496	Pittsfield, Mass	L. H. Downing	794 Tyler St	A. G. Ennis	182 Union St	C. L. U. Hall	Ruery Thewist.
(m)497 498	Pittsfield, Mass Gainesville. Tex Port Arthur, Ont.,	A. C. Herman	Box 38	W. C. Shady	606 Morris St	F. U. of A. Hall	2d & 4th Fri.
(m)400	Canada. Jonquieres, Que.	Wilfred Bilodean	Box 65	Jos. Villeneuve	Box 103	Union Labor Hall	1st & 3d Wed.
(1) 500 (TD ) 501	Can. San Antonio, Tex Yonkom N. V	H. M. Rhodus	230 Becker St	E. F. Yecker	430 University Ave.	Trades Coun. Hall.	2d & 4th Wed.
- 1	Yonkers, N. Y Portsmouth, N. H		Vernon, N. Y.		1		
(f)306	Boston, Mass	Geo. Deans	9 Appleton St., At-	A. Steir	140 Sherburne Ave 7 Lesher St., Ros-	53 Hanover	2d & 4th Mon
		f	lantic Mass		lindala Mace		i
(m) 504	Meadville, Pa Charlotte, N. C	R. W. Blackwell	K. F. D. No. 5	O. A. McGill	407 F 1144 St	Central Labor Hall. Piedmont Bldg	1st & 3d Thurs.
	Chicago Ht's, Ill.	Otto Koehler	Euclid Ave	Thos. Ryan	1312 Campbell Ave	Labor Assem, Hall.	2d & 4th Mon
307	Flat River. Mo	L. McNew	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Ed Bloom	Box 477	Woodman Hall	list & 3d Thurs.
(i) max	Savannah Co	W S Shattuck	203 W York St	I T Hill	421 E St Julian St	128 State St. E	1ot b 2d Wed
(1)509 211	Lockport, N. Y Topeka, Kas	Crover D. Stitt	212 Lake St	Howard Gardner	228 Paggaralt St	/ Carpenters Hall	2d & 4th Wed
(m)512	Salem, Oreg	J. S. Cherrington	440 O'Neill St	C. R. Stowaser	R. F. D. No. 2, Box 43.	Labor Hall	1st & 3d Mon.
(m)518	Manchester, N. H	Paul F. Connor	213 Sagamore St	R. S. Putney	370 Amherst St	Hibernian Hall	chester; last Fri., Nashar
(1)514	Detroit, Mich	Ben Ketia	918 Cass Ave	Adolph Nieset	708 Cadillac Ave	333 Cass Av	N. H. Every Tues.
(m)515	Newport News, Va	W. E. Brinson	426 Newport News Ave., Hampton, Va.	H. C. Davis	215 26th St	C. L. U. Hall	Tuesday.
(m) 516	Providence, R. I	E. E. Elmer	745 Park Ave	C. W. Johnson	135 Colfax St	98 Weybossett St	1st & 3d Fri.
(m)417	Astoria, Oreg	W. L. Trullinger	P. O. Box 113	Louis Carlson	Box 113	Longshoremen Hall	1st & 3d Wed.
(m)\$18	Meridian, Miss Wallace, Idaho	Lester Armitees	Wallace, Idaho.	W. A. Smith	924 Residence St	Suette Bldg	let & 3d Fri.
(m)#20	Austin, Texas	W. H. Boerner	3709 King St	Chas. Spreen	608 Harthan St	Labor Hall	<b>.</b>
(m)521	Greeley, Colo Lawrence, Mass						2d & 4th Mon.
(m) <b>522</b>	Lawrence, Mass	Edwin W. Craig	10 Kenwodd Pl	J. H. Bartlett	38 Farnham St	Lincoln Hall	12d & 4th Thura.
	N. Yakima, Wash	Art Fulloright	1910 Lincoln Ave	E. L. Brown	103 N. /th St	Labor Temple	Every Friday.
(m) \$38	Duluth Minn	II. A Thomas					
(m) 838 834 (j) 526	N. Yakima, Wash Duluth, Minn Santa Cruz, Cal	L. A. Thomas Paul C. Mackev	119 N. 61st Ave. W	J. Tondorf	Box 49	Gilley Hall	2d & 4th Fri.

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(i)527	Galveston, Tex	J. R. Chenault	% Brush Elec. Co	A. E. Kirk	916 21st St	Red Men's Hall	Every Friday.
(m)528	Milwaukee, Wis Eugene, Oreg	Bert B. Streeter	1426 Nash St	Jas. Hagerman	619 Linus St Box 281	American Hall	1st Friday.
	Rochester, Minn	J. P. Huvber	870 Dubuque St	Leonard Hess	1901 S. State St	Brick Maker's Hall	lot & 9.2 rm
(1)531	New Haven, Conn	W C McCulloch	147 Rradian St	Inc Duffy			
(m) 532	Billings, Mont	R. Shay	Box 646	W. T. Gates	Box \$46	2013 Mont. Ave	180 M 2/1 Trans
(1)585	Proctor, Minn Evansville, Ind	Oscar P. Seitz	120 Randall Ave	T. A. Burns	601 Chandler Ave	Morris Hall	Every Bridge
(1)535	Schenectady, N. Y	Wm. Damon	112 Foster Ave	T. Rourke	359 Carrie St	24/ State St	IST A SA C.
(cs)537	San Francisco, Cal.	H. R. Woodward	252 Delano Ave	H. Metzke	477 66th St.,	IAB STAWORT ST	10t b 2.1 1/
(m)538	Danville, Ill	C. W. Dennan	125 1/4 Franklin St	H. A. Wright	Oakland, Cal. 210 N. Washington.	117 N. Vermilion	lat & 2d was
m)539	Port Huron, Mich	111. D. Keig	ore Prospect Pr	David R. Line	11000 Pearl St	LIMAGES-LIADOF HAIL.	AU at 4th Brown
(1) 840	Canton, O	Geo. J. Wilsen	528 5th St. N. W	H. C. Hinds	Ave., S. W.	Marlen Bldg	Every Tues.
(s)541	Boston, Mass Junction City, Kas				231 E. 6th St		••••
(m)542	Junction City, Kas.	Wm. Worland	1418 N. Jeff St	L H. Doudall	231 E. 6th St 741 Meeting St	Carpenters Hall	Monday.
(m)544	Charleston, S. C Edmonton, Alta., C.	W Hemphill	113 Goodridge Rik	W. J. Bramlette	113 Goodridge Blk	A. U. A. M. Hall	2d & 4th Tues.
(m)545	Kokomo, Ind	Floyd Knause	611 S. McCann St	C. E. Davis	1037 S. Leeds St	B. T. Hall,	Every Tues.
E 40	Dunchton Mass		890 337 0 4	177 T 36 T		N. Main St.	
(m)549	Brockton, Mass Huntington, W. Va.	E. D. Fischer	1630 6th Ave	W. J. McLaughiin Nye Black	31 Fuller St 1032½ 4th Ave	Lincoln Hall Moose Hall	2d & 4th Thurs 1st & 3d Wed.
(m)552	Lewistown, Mont	H R Matthews	Box 653	H R Matthews	Dov 652	Carpenters Hall	Wednesday.
n 1553	Philadelphia, Pa	J. M. Cohan	1826 N. Franklin St.	Peter F. Marx	3044 Baring St	256 N. 13th St	Ist & 2.1 U
(m)554	Welland, Ont., C. Walla Walla, Wash	E. E. Rinker	444 Wash St	Mitchell Anderson	P. O. Welland	Labor Hall Labor Temple	lst Thurs. Tuesday.
m)557	Minot, N. Dak	T. B. Hu#	P. O. Box 301	T. B. Huff	Box 301	District Council	1st & 3d Thur.
(m)558	Sheffield Ala	A. D. Hughes	Camp 2 Air Nit	H J Gregory	Box 402	Chambers	-
			rates Corp.	ii. J. Gregory	DOX 402	L. O. O. F. Hall	au oc stn Wed.
(m)559	Brantford, Ont.,				}		
(i)560	Can	J. J. Otis	1512 N Cataline Ave	T E Wobb	628 Center St	Labor Temple	2d & 4th Fri.
·(m)561	Montreal, Que., C	A. Lepine	417 Ontario St. E	E. J. Sinclair	417 Ontario St	417 Ontario St. E	1st & 3d Wed.
(m)562	Lowell, Mass	C Burdick	658 Wilder St	S. W. Marshall	47 Bellevue St	S. R. M. Hall,	1st & 3d Mon.
(m) 563	Marion, Ind	Wm" Gehle	906 McClure St	Billy Coppore	Marion Theatre	Runek Bldg. Trades O'ncil Hall.	Every Thurs
(m)564	Richmond, Ind	Chas. F. Carroll	529 N. D St	Chas. Davis	244 Pearl St	Carpenters' Hall	2d & 4th Fri.
(1)565	Schenectady, N. Y Roanoke, Va	Lililan Hagan	411 Main Ave	Edwin H. Lester	419 Broadway	State St	2d & 4th Mon.
(1)567	Portland, Me	E. B. Walker	42 Alba St		P. O. Box 304 76 Melbourne		Every Tues.
			42 Alba St., Woodford, Me.	1	1	Blk.	
(pp)569	Buffalo, N. Y	Paul H. Graf Aron Jones	29 St. Paul St	Chas. A. Gehl	Box 504	C. Wash & Goodall. Congress St	lst & 3d Wed.
571	McGill, Nev	1	·	THILD E. DIZUII	DOX 804	1	l
m > 572	Regina, Sask., C	W. Willis.	Box 318	W. Willis	Box 318	Tr'ds Hall Osler st	2d Thursday.
(m)573	Bremerton, Wash	M. W. Wilder J. L. Van Rossum	217 Frontenac St		807 Wash. Ave	Eagles' Hall	2d & 4th The
<b>5</b> 75	Portsmouth, O			W. D. Slattery	1031 Gallio St	C. L. Hall	2d & 4th Fri.
		Herbert Shaw W. B. Gaskins	215 Chestnut St		412 N. West St Box 245	Red Men's Hall Brown & Johnson's.	2d & last Tues.
(20)011	Diumingne, Otta	W. D. Gastins	DUX 422		1	Residence.	Every Sunday.
(i) <b>57</b> 8	Englewood, N. J	Homer W. Has-		Harry L. Fulton	118 Preston, Ridge-	Ryan's Hotel,	' '
(m) 579	Globe, Ariz	brouck.	River Edge, N. J. Box 1353	B. J. Niles	field Park, N. J Box 1353	Hackenseck, N. J. Electricians Club	2d & 4th Tues.
(m)580	Olympia, Wash			Claud Wolf	1801 E. 4th St	Socialist Hall	2d & 4th Wed.
581	Morristown, N. J	Thos. R. Pierson	Hanover Ave	John H. Watson	Glenbrook Rd	Park Place	lst & 3d Mon.
582	Shenandosh Pa	Chas. Carey	Morris Plains		Morris Plains, N. J. 390 W. Main St	2d St., Girardville,	1st & 2d Three
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(i)583 (m)594	El Paso, Tex	J. T. Bippus	Box 1105	J. H. Jacoby	P. O. Box 9	Kansas & Overland. Carpenters Hall	
(1)585	El Pase, Tex	Chas. Murphy	Purcian Hotel	Wm. Blair	1203 N. Cotton	Kansas & Overland.	Every Friday
587		W. A. Bashoe, Jr	69 Centre Ave		835 Water St		
		İ	Schuylkill, Haven, Pa.	1	1	İ	I
(1)588	Lowell, Mass	John A. Ryan	144 Concord St		1195 Lawrence St	I. O. O. F. Bldg	1st & 3d Fri.
(m)589	Saskateen, Sask, C.	C. A. Cutting	Box 282	Wm. T. Nicholson.	. Box 282	Labor Temple	2d & 4th Fri
(1) <b>57</b> 1 (f)5 <b>8</b> 9	Kanasa City Me	I Abro	Labor Temple	W. R. Gregory	1017 S. Sutter 4716 W. Prospect	Labor Temple	lst & 2d The
(m)##	Dunkirk, N. Y	Homer Hackett	Main St., Tridonia.	C. R. Harris	. 57 W. 3d St	Central Ave	lst & 3d Tues
(m)594	Santa Rosa, Cal	P. A. Harmon	Box 438	J. E. Timpson	. Box 438	2d & B. St	1st & 3d Thurs
(i) 596	Clarksburg W. Va.	W. J. Robinson	312-14 Celonial apta	Thos Callis	. 550 59th St	Litatetter Bldg	Every Wed
(m)597	Winona, Minn	E. W. Evans	Eagles' Hall	Thos. O'Brien	. 612 W. 4th St	Thelemonic Hall	2 & 4th Fri.
(to)596	Oakland, Cal	Roy Cord	2500 12th Ave	E. Fitzsimmens	. 539 43d St	470 12th St	Every Friday.
(B)600	Erie, Pa			G. I. Ramsey	.	1	
(i) <b>60</b> 1	Urbana & Cham-	O. L. Welch	401 E. Spgfd. Ave.,	C. Lewis	508 E. Green St	3d Floor Ressell	lst & 3d Tues.
	paign, Ill.		Champaign, Ill.		Champaign, Ill	. Bldg.	
603	Schenectady, N. Y	J. P. Fleming	31 Moyston St	C. Pierce	. 315 Mohawk Ave.	Trades & Labor	Ist Sat Aft.
	· · ·				Scotia, N. V.	Hall.	
170)504	Bellows Falls, Brattlesboro, Vt.	J. B. Finck	37 Henry St Bellow Falls, Vt	Onas. W. Tidd	Bellows Falls.	Papermakers' Hall	ist Sunday.
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(m)406 (a)607	Pana, Ill St.Louis, Mo	C. P. Gallaher W. Ungerer	117 E. 2d St 1564 Wellston Ave	Chas. P. Gallaher E. A. Hediger	117 E. 2d St 4316 Forest Park Blvd	2d Locust	2d & 4th Tues
(1)660 (m)610 (m)611 (m)611 (1)612 (1)615 (m)616	Spokane, Wash Marshaltown, Ia Albuquerque, N.M Marshaltown, Ia San Rafael, Cal Cedar Rapids, Ia Worcester, Mass	G. C. Davenport Robt. Hamblin Walter Joyce R. E. Cook H. E. Jorgensen Geo. Winchester	337 W. Dewald St Box 1777. 212 N. 2d St 410 N. 6th St 603 N. 1st Ave D St Delevan Hotel 628 Cambridge St 53 N. T. St	D. P. Reid F. E. Brown L. T. Woods Ralph Lipps H. E. Smith F. B. Douglas Wm. Jones	824 Wilt St 515 Rookery Bldg 1005 Tremont St P. O. Box 251 516 S. 4th St 224 H. St 7 Kilby St	Labor Hall. I. O. O. F. Hall. T. L. Hall. 4th St Labor Temple. 35 Pearl St.	Every Friday. 2d & 4th Tues. 2d & 4th Tues. 2d & 4th Tues. 1st & 3d Tues. 1st & 3d Sat. 1st & 3d Tues.
(m)620 (t)621 (s)622 (i)623 624 (i)625 (m)626 (m)627	Sheboygan, Wis Norfolk, Va Lynn, Mass Butte, Mont St. Louis, Mo Halifax, N. S., O Aberdeen, S. D Lorain, Ohio	Thos.E. MacDonald L. C. Major  Don McQuiston E. F. Blome J. B. Guy. C. Williams L. E. Chenney	821 ()akland Ave 1102 Halladay St Box 141. 2604 S. Compton Av 37 Gerrish St 222 2d Ave. SW 17th & Reid Ave	F. V. Cooper Chas. D. Keaveney. H. H. Jackson F. J. Windmoeller. E. A. Nickerson. C. J. Koerner E. C. Kingman	lingame, Cal. 2330 S. 7th St  Box 676.  Box 71.  25 Brunswick Lane. Fire Station No. 1. 208 10th St	Labor Hall I. O. O. F. Hall Carpenters' Hall New Club Hall Granville St K. C. Hall G. A. R. Hall	1st Wed. Monday. 3d Thursday. Every Mon. 1st Thur. 1st & 3d Sat. 1st & last
(m)638	Trinidad, Colo New Glasgow, N.	Maxwell Freeman	148 Union St	John Hannon J. J. Neville	Box 632 Box 1546	Provost St	1st & 3d Tues.
(m)649 (r.r.)641	Port Arthur, Tex	Jas. C. Hazlett	P. O. Box 1221 Box 501	F. F. Clark Jas. C. Hazlett	Box 501	633½ Proctor St 238 E. Wash. St Silvis, Ill Bldg. Trades Hall	1st & 3d Fri. 1st & 3d Wed.
(m)648 (m)644 645 (m)646 (l)647 (m)648	Johnson City, Tenn Schenectady, N. Y. Schenectady, N. Y. Sheridan, Wyo Schenectady, N. Y. Hamilton, O	W. P. Sullivan Jno. N. Mackintosh Lester B. Doane J. E. Lamunda Roy Schroeder	109 Orchard St 288 Van Cortland St L. Box 233. 312 Summit Ave 419 Charles St Box 133.	C. R. Greene	219 Fulton St	246 State St	2d & 4th Fri. 4th Wed. 1st & 3d Fri. 1st & 3d Wed.
(s)652 (m)652	Medford, Oreg Lake County, Ind Miles City. Mont	Karl Knapp Benj. Koge C. M. Dahlgreen	819 Bennett Ave 3408 Elm St Indiana Harbor, Ind. Arnold Blk	E. G. Henselman W. P. Lavin Chas. J. Lowe	204 S. Central Ave. 236 LaPorte Ave Whiting, Ind P. O. Box 821	128 N. Grape K. of P. Hall 7th & Main St	1st & 3d Wed. Every Friday. 2d & 4th Tues.
654 (1)655 658 (m)657	Tacoma, Wash Waterbury, Conn Albany, Oreg Raleigh N. C	F. H. Marcellus	44 Cottage Pl 21 S. Swain St 1421 Wolf St 77 Lincoln Ave	R. C. Waller H. Paul Johe	Box 1125 232 Montgomery St. 219 S. Person St	40 N. Main St	Every Thurs.  1st & 3d Mon.  1st & 3d Fri.  1st & 3d Sun.
(i) <b>0</b> 60	Waterbury, Conn	1	512 S. Wilson St	•	36 Vermont St	127 E. Main St	
(m)661 (rr)663	Hutchinson, Kan Boston, Mass	Dan Parks J. W. Valpey	607 N. Plum St 36 School St. Everett, Mass.	Rex Ramsay Martin L. Kidder	317 7th St. W 37 Bowdain St	307½ N. Main 92 Leverett	
	11011 10111111111111	P. J. Goodge	473 St. Johns Pl	R. H. Lavender	51 E. 10th St Brooklyn, N. Y.	Brooklyn Lab. Lyc.	_
(i)666	Richmond, Va		1202 Bainbridge St	W. B. Roberts	h Comt Sto	i,	Every Monday
(m) 668 (i) 666 (m) 676	Lafayette, ind Springfield, O Fargo, N. Dak	Sam Wright F. J. Servis	122½ Capitol 624 S. 15th St 113 S. Western Ave. 1540 Front St	Carl Hammerle T. J. Gorman	9 Moores Ct 305 N. 24th St	122½ Capitol Labor Temple Labor Temple Redmen Hall at Moorhead, Minn.	1st & 3d Mon.
1			Flomar Hotel		1	Labor Temple	!
(m)678 874 (m)675	Elizabeth, N. J	G. W. Santmyer Arthur Cannon Chas. J. Upham	921 Park Ave 614 Park St 966½ DeHart Pl	Theo, Roll, Jr	511 Limer St 126 Fairview Ave 7 W. Grand St	G. A. R. Hall 225 Broad St	1st & 3d Wed. 2d & 4th Thur.
(m.)677	Gatun, C. Z., Pan	W. D. Danci	C. Z., Pan. 37 Highland pl., S.		Z Pan.	Cycle Hall	
(m)679 (m)636 (m)681 (m)482	Grinell, Iowa Fond du Lac, Wis Wichita Falls, Tex. Carbondale. Pa	H. O. Shaw F. Du Frane J. H. Hallmark B. E. Durphy	Weymouth, Mass. Summer St	R. J. Webb Geo. C. Burrell	25 E. 14th St   700 Scott Ave   51 Laurel St	Labor Temple	2d & 4th Mon. Every Wed.
(rr)465	Bloomington, Ill	W. G. Tynan	1004 W. Olive St	H H. Haworth	1307 W. Wood St	Trades Assembly	1st & 3d Tues.

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687	Newhurvhort Mass	Fred Greennay	Atkinson St	Lewis Miller	584 Peace St	P. O. S. of A Hall	2d & 4th Mon. 2d & 4th Wed.
(1)688	Mansfield, Ohio	L. A. Ruby	56 N. Weldon Ave	J. W. Wood	17 Charter St 82 Vennom Ave 1718 Polk St	Trades C'ncil Hall.	lst & 3d Fri.
1)690	Bloomington, Ill	Harold Freeston.	1716 Polk St 104 S. Morris Ave	Lee Key	310 E. Emerson St	Painters Hall 119 S. Main St	Every Friday.
					Gen. Delivery 321 Dawson St	120 Main St Oul's Hall	Every Thurs. 2d & 4th Thurs.
693		J. R. Cupples	403 N. Star St	Fred Korth	115 Berlin St	D Dd 64	20 & 44b mb.
n)695	St. Joseph, Mo	Carl Holman	2908 Penn St	Wm. Wagner	2107 Penn. St	Labor Temple	lst & 3d Thura
					1	mond	20 & 4th Thur.
(1)089	Gloucester, mass	Joe Bohner S'lvester D. Deering	18 Wash St	Al Fanning Eugene R. Lord	Box 1340 381 Wash St	Miners' Hall 167 Main St	Every Frid <b>ay.</b> 1st & 2d Tues.
700	Charleston, W. Va		318 E. Burlington	A. W. Busch	Box 179 Elmhurst,	Main St	2d & 4th Thur
m)702	Herrin, III	W. F. Rammage		l .	Care Murphysboro		
		C. A. Bennett			Tel. Co. 214 W. Union St		
		W. R. Towle					
m 1705	Frankfort, KV	Konnie Johnson	Gen. Del	W. C. Watson	18 Glenoak Ave 318 W. 4th St	Brady's Hall	Every Mon.
m.)706+	Monmouth, III	Fred Stutzman			230 S. C. St 4 Vernon		ZU & TELL MOD.
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708	Philadelphia, Pa	A. F. Willcox	Mass. 3321 N. 12th St	Martin Galagher	3248 F. St	2210 E. Susque- hanna Ave.	Every Wed.
m)709	Clarkdale, Ariz	F. Westmyer		C. P. Reilly	Box 192	School House	1st & 3d Tues.
m)710 m)711	Long Beach, Cal	R. S. Prest	Box 804	W. H. Brown	Box 207	59 Main St Labor Temple	1st & 3d Tues.
m)712	New Brighton, Pa	Chas. O. Cook	1500 2d St., New	Wm. G. Dithridge.	Box 207 515 35th St., Beav-	3d Ave	lst& 3d Mon
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m)714	Mt. Hope, Va	J. D. Everett		D Duthandard	Dor 199		97 6 441 77
(i)716	Houston, Tex	B. W. Deuel	1803 State	W. J. Peters	2504 Hamilton	1219 Praire Ave	Every Thurs.
					Box 132		
to)718	Paducah, Ky	L. S. Brown	504 S. 6th St	A. S. Cockran	1021 S. 4th St Box 328, Goffstown,	I. O. O. F. Hall	4th Thursday.
		1		1	N. H.	04 Hanover St	2u & 4th Wed.
rr)720 m)722	Camden, N. J	Harry Fairbanks	14 N. Greenbresh	Jerry Hartnette	18 N. Main St	Trades Assembly	1st & 3d Mon.
(1)723	Ft. Wayne, Ind	A. J. Offerle	1151 Harmer St	J. Buelow	11110 Spy Run Ave	1204 Calhoun St	Every Friday
724 (i)725	Terre Haute, Ind	R. J. Desjardines W. O. Partridge	2610 School Ave	E. C. Kadel	92 Augusta St 1011 S. 4th St	Queen's Hall	1st & 3d Wed.
m)726	Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Canada.	Bert Andrews	452 Albert St. E	1	1011 S. 4th St 123 Gladstone Ave.	i	Wednesday.
727	Schenectady, N. Y	J. Schaaf	834 Duane Ave	Pat Volpe	315 S. Center St	State St	2d Tuesday.
to) 1a	Boston, Mass	A. C. Bedsole Anna M. O'Brien	20 E. Broad St 50 Rosemont St.,	Mary E. Matthews.	Rm. 452, Old South Bldg.	987 Wash. St	2d & 4th Fri.
to) 2a	Lynn, Mass	Mary J. Boyce	Dorchester, Mass. 252 Tyler St	Helen O'Donnell	54 Sheldon St	C. L. U. Hall	2d & last Tues.
to) 3a	Springfield, Mass	Maude O. Mansfield	246 King St	Catharine McQuade	ood wanted St	19 Lanford St	2d & last Tues.
to) 6a	New Bedf'd, Mass	Mary Conway Viola C. Chace	46 Dorchester St 52West St	Helen F. Boyd Marion E. Keane	Box 360	Union St	2d & 4th There
to) 7a	Framingham, Mass.	Emma G. Martin	1 Greenhalge Rd	Mildred Callahan		Howard St. 184 Dudley St.,	
	Boston, Mass	Burke	73 Cotting St., Medford, Mass.	Agnes Burke	Drookinie, mass.	Roxbury, Mass.	1
to) 9a	Butte, Mont	<u></u>	21 0'77' 0'	Bertha McGregor	915 W. Gold St	W. Cronito St	Last Sat.
		Florence Johnson Margaret Mansfield			47 Chester St 52 Bedford St		
to)15a	Denison, Tex	Rae Koger	100 Darton Ct	E. Bracken	621 W. Owing St 89 Mason St 7261/2 Proctor St	Rusk Ave	1st Monday.
to)17a	Pt. Arthur, Tex	margaret weistroi-	726½ Proctor St	wandater Memerior	726½ Proctor St	Electricians' Hall	1st & 3d Wed.
to)18a	Lawrence, Mass	fer. Anna Clark	161 Arlington St	fer. Ella McKiernan	163 Haverhill St 41 Humphrey	C. and C. Hall	2d & last Tues.
to)19a	Lowell, Mass	Mary A. Mitchell Hazel Morrison		Ella McLoon	41 Humphrey	I. O. O. F. Hall	
to)21a	Fall River, Mass	Blanche L. Smith.	72 Summerfield St	Catherine Caughlin	27 Vestry St 114 Dover St 45 Hodges Ave	Moose Hall	1st Monday.
		Gertrude Benjamin.	ł	zie.	56 Fairview Ave	Whittlesey Bldg	
	Barrington Mass	Anna Marshall	Pittsfield Mass	1 .	Pittsfield, Mass.	Tel. Club Hall	1
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to)25a	Bangor, Me	Catherine Griffin	38 Railroad St	Annie McGee	11 Bramhall St 263 State St 33 Falmouth Ave	Pythian Temple	2d & 4th Mon.
	Brockton Mass	Ruth Brown	20 Nowton St	Tune MaClermeel	22 Follmouth Aug	14-2- G4	1-4 4- 04 3/0-
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(to)29a	Toledo, Ohio	E. Bade		Mrs. Loretta Van	536 Nebraska Ave	103 Arcade Bldg	Wed., 1:30
(to)31a	Winnipeg, Man., Can.	Sadie Hillier	52 Marion St	B. McLennon	274 Redwood Ave	Labor Temple	2d & 4th Wea
(to)33a	Oleveland, O Newburyport, Mass Staunton, Ill	Eliz. M. Mason Vida O'Neal	48 Temple St Staunton, Ill	Eliza A. Haley	11 Walnut St	Lafavette Hall Staunton L. Templ	1st Wed. 2d Friday.
(to)35a (to)36a	Ardmore, Okla Aberdeen, Wash Wallace, Idaho	Kitty Hanson Helen Zellars	1315 E. Summit St	Margaret Moir Eliz. M. Smith	709 4th Ave	B. T. Council 722 Residence St.	2d & 4th Wed 1st & 3d Mon. 1st & 3d Fri.
(to)38a (to)39a	Missoula, Mont Tacoma, Wash Walla Walla, Wash	Franko Powell Carolyn Wagner	Gibson Blk 1612 E. 30th St 110 Withva St	Lucy Goodman Mathilda Gunal Alma Deye	301 S. 1st W 4819 S. Washington 110 Withva St	Union Hall	1st & 3d Fri. Tuesday. Tuesday.
(to)41a (to)42a	N. Yakima, Wash Seattle, Wash Olympia, Wash	Doris Soll Kath Conners	113 N. 6th Ave Labor Temple	Edna Aikey Blanche Johnson	Grand Hotel	Labor Temple Labor Temple	1st & 3d Fri.
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